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On hursday, Jan. 21, at 10 o'clock A. M. on the farm of J. Mepjans living two miles northeast of Grand Haven on the B-line road.

HERE'S A NEW WAY TO BEAT THE OFFICER

TOW ROPE USED BY AUTO OWNER TO ESCAPE PARKING TAG

When Holland put in its new 8 to 6 parking ordinance on River Avenue and Eighth street, Chief Van Ry and his men had very little trouble compared to other cities. They received fine co-operation, and only occasionally tricks were attempted on the officers.

There were many cases where business men parked for an hour and then moved the car to the next empty stall and after another hour moved it back again, but it took a Wisconsin automobile owner to take in an officer, and then make him apologize besides.

A clipping says that the latest wise gag pulled by a motorist to avoid payment of a fine for parking his car too long is reported in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. A man in that town who had parked his car on Main street for beyond the time limit returned to find a policeman attaching a little red ticket to the steering wheel.

The owner did a right-about face located a friend with a car a few yards away and together they backed up to the tagged machine and attached a tow rope to it.

The officer apologized, removed the tag and left. The gentleman accepted his apology, removed the tow rope and—left.

LOCAL MAN TO SPEAK AT DETROIT FRIDAY

JOHN ARENDSHORST PROMINENT AT FAIR CONVENTION

John Arendshorst, secretary of the Holland fair, and who is attending the annual convention of the Michigan association of fairs, held today and Friday at Fort Shelby, Detroit, is on tomrrow's program for a speech. His subject Friday will be, "What Did You Consider Your Best Drawing Card at the 1925 Fair?"

The two days sessions are held Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday morning. Thursday evening the big banquet will take place and Mayor John W Smith of Detroit will give the address of welcome.

John Arendshorst, of Holland, is also the first vice president of this organization and is also on the banquet committee.

About the most instructive part of the program will be "round table discussions". The chairman to handle these discussions is Hon. Perry F. Powers of Cadillac, also well known in Holland.

A great many interesting matters will come up, and any discussions that a fair official may have, or any difficulties that he has to coop with, can be brought up at this meeting. Possibly the matter of side-shows in Holland may be one of the features.

Subjects that are to be brought up, and are scheduled for discussion are the advisability for discus-Night Fireworks, Band Tournaments, Horse Shows, Pageants, Baseball Tournaments, Horse Shoe Pitchngi contests, Boys and Girls Club Work, Boys and Girls Stock Judging contest, Live Stock Parades, Professional Exhibitors, Woman Congress, Fair Advertising, Policing Grounds, Free Passes.

DICKERSON OF G. R. HERALD WRITES OF HOLLAND

TELLS OF THE BOXING MATCHES TO BE STAGED HERE

Emerson Dickerson, sport writer for the Grand Rapids Herald, gave the following in the issue of Wednesday:

"Benjamin H Lievense, matchmaker for the American Legion post of Holland which conducted several boxing shows very successfully last winter went to Grand Rapids Wednesday for the double show in the armory and arranging purpose of attending the boxing the main event for a show to be staged in Holland on Monday, Jan. 29. He is planning on signing Soldier King, the Grand Rapids heavyweight, to meet Len Darcy of Detroit. Darcy boxed Jimmy Nuss of Newberry in the feature event of an Olympic A. C. gymnasium show a few weeks ago.

"Holland has long been one of the sportiest towns of its size in the state. It has maintained a crackerjack independent baseball team for years and was represented in the old Michigan State league for two seasons. It gives excellent support to the athletic activities of both Hope college and Holland high, besides supporting an independent professional basketball team during the winter months. Instead of boxing being received with disfavor in Holland, as many were expecting it to be, the shows were attended by the city's most prominent citizens and were splendid successes.

POLICE HAVE MORE DOPE ON SWINDLER

ALLEGED HOLLAND FORGER PROVES TO BE SPANISH WAR VETERAN

Now Mackin's Name Is Said To Be Jones According to Discharge Papers

Officer C. Steketee who last week went to Willmar, Minn., to bring back Rosco Mackin, who last September, it is alleged, beat Hotel Kraker out of more than $100 thru forged checks, has some new dope on the man with a dozen aliases.

Now it is found that the final name Rosco Mackin is not the right one after all, but his real honest-to-goodness name is Duey L. Jones. This Mr. Steketee ascertained from the discharge papers, when it was found out that Mackin is a Spanish-American war veteran. That he was appointed as a captain and for a time served as a chaplain, and was receiving a government's pension of $24 a month.

His papers show that he was honorably discharged and had served Uncle Sam faithfully.

Mr. Steketee states that Mackin served time in Beloit, Wisconsin, and had also served in Iowa.

It is said that he was confined in an insane asylum for nine months, owing to a mind derangement.

Mackin came to this country when he was 17 years old, landing in New York. Mr. Steketee contends that Mackin talked freely of a Rev. T. Walker Jones, who he had known in New York, and Rev. J. T. Bergen, whom he had become acquainted with in Minneaolis. Both of these were former Hope church pastors. Mackin claims that he went to their respective churches and became acquainted in that way.

Rev. Jones has passed to his reward, many years ago, but Dr. Bergen still lives in the West.

Mr. Steketee states that the people around Minneapolis and Willmar and other places, believed in Mackin, and trusted him implicitly, and when he was arrested those whom he had come in contact with were dumb-founded to see the officer take him away.

Officer Steketee and Prosecutor Miles state that Mackin has made some admissions to them, which will come out in the trial within a few weeks.

He stoutly denies ever having been in Holland or having had anything to do with the forged checks at the Kraker hotel.

Clerk Sam Meeuwsen it is said, has identified the man and Mr. Van Ry states he has four other persons who positively identified the man as Mackin or Jones as the case may be, but he will not give the names before the trial comes off.

A complete story of the Mackin case, and the work of the Holland police, who captured the man with a dozen names, is found on page two of this issue.

SEEKS RULING FOR FISHERMEN ON STATE LAWS

WANTS TO KNOW WHETHER OLD "FIVE LINE" OUTFIT CAN BE USED AGAIN

Jake Lievense of the Game, Fish Protective association, state game warden, is seeking a ruling from the department of state conservation regarding the number of lines allowed in fishing in inland lakes of Michigan.

Under a recent ruling of the state department only fishing by hook and line is allowed in the inland lakes of Michigan south of Mason county. Under the old law it was possible to use five hooks and lines in fishing, but Mr. Lievense believes fishermen to one line in the inland lakes only and that the ruling does not include those lakes connecting with Lake Michigan, as they are not classed as inland lakes, but as inland waters.

Many fishermen have used five lines during the winter on the inland lakes, especially in fishing pike. This is true of Clear, Duck and other lakes.

Game wardens in this vicinity have asked for a ruling also as regards the possession of a spear being prima facia evidence of guilt. Spearing is not allowed on any of the lakes now, and under the old law the possession of a spear by a fisherman meant conviction.

DATES FOR ALLEGAN FAIR ARE AUGUST 24-27

The dates for the Allegan fair for 1926 have been placed at Aug. 24, 25, 26, and 27, the same week as last year. Many applications for concessions have been received already and there is increasing evidence that the fair will be even bigger and better than ever before. The premium book will be revised as soon as president Stark and secretary Leisle return from the meeting of the State Fair association in Detroit, Feb. 14 and 15.

Fred Beeuwkes and William Brouwer of the Jas. A. Brouwer Furniture store have been spending the week, looking over the Grand Rapid Furniture exposition and leaving orders for future delivery.

ICEMEN WILL WAIT FOR THICKER ICE

ALTHOUGH A LONG WINTER, IT HAS NOT BEEN A VERY COLD ONE

The Holland ice men will wait until Jack Frost gets a little busier and add smaterially to the thickness of the ice. Mr. Fairbanks of the Superior Ice Co., states that the ice is nine inches thick where the company generally cuts, and that the scrapers have been busy taking the snow off in order that crystalization may come faster.

The company expects to cut the latter part of next week, if cold weather continues, preferring to have ice 14 inches thick which is a convenient size to handle.

The Lakeside Ice Co. is not waiting for thicker ice an official says, and a force of men expect to cut ice today.

It does appear like a long cold winter, possibly because snow flurries as well as heavy packs of snow have been coming and going since early in October, which is very unusual in Micigan ,of late years. But even then this is not what you can call a cold winter. The thermometer has never been lower than 12 above zero at any time and the thickness of the ice in the middle of January was not quite 9 inches, indicates that this winter has not been an ice making winter, unless an unforseen thaw and a warm spell comes there is still time during January and February to expect an abundant ice harvest.

At that the icemen are rather anxious since the winter is far advanced ,the robins are already in evidence, the ground hog is being talked of, and the frequent January thaws are not very reassuring.

Some nine years ago there was also eight and nine inches of ice in Black lake about this time of the month. A thaw of four days cleared the entire bay of it, and after that while the lake was frozen over there never was ice of sufficient thickness that season so it could be comfercialized, and Holland ind vicinity had to depend on artifial ice to tide them over the next summer.

NEW CHURCH FOR CHRISTIAN REF. FOLKS

A brick veneer church edifice, with an auditorium seating 700 and costing $50,000 will be built for the Fuller Avenue Christian Reformed church at Fuller Ave. and Noble St., Grand Rapids, as soon as weather conditions permit the beginning of construction. Plans have been approved by the congregation. The lot is 190 by 132 feet.

The membership of the church now comprises 48 families, although the church was organized only last June. Rev E Van Halsema is pastor.

HOLLAND VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS MAY STAGE GAME WITH FENNVILLE

The Fennville Athletic club elected the following officers for the ensuing year: president, James E Bale; treasurer, Duncan Weaver.

The Athletic club has just closed the first year of its history and is a very popular club with Fennville business men.

The idea of the club was originally conceived by J A Baron and the membership has grown to the point where it has been thought advisable by ex-president H L Reynolds not to accept any more members, enough having joined to comfortably fill the high school gymnasium once a week for volley ball.

Last year the Fennville team played Holland teams repeatedly and an attempt will be made to again schedule games.

On Thursday evening of this week the third in a series of debates on the proposed twentieth amendment to the constition, the socalled child labor amendment, will be held in the Holland high school auditorium. Holland high's debaters have discussed this subject twice before this season, once in Otsego against the Otsego high school, and once in Allegan against the Allegan high school team. In both cases the Holland team came out victorious.

But on Thursday night the local debaters will have to go up against a double test. In the first place, while in the other two debates the spoke in favor of the amendment, on Thursday night they will be required to take the negative side. Thus the two victories, won earlier, will be a handicap instead of a help so far as the arguments are concerned because the debaters are well drilled in the affirmative side and will have to throw their mental machines into reverse as it were for this debate.

Another fact is that they will have to go up against a strong team. Their opponents Thursday evening will be Union High of Grand Rapids, made up of practiced debaters and it is certain that the visitors will do all in their power to go home with a victory.

G. J. Diekema has been secured as the chairman of the evening. He will introduce the debate and hold the stop-watch on the debaters. The Holland team is composed of Raymond Steketee, Stanley Verhey, and Henry Nobel. There will be no admission charge and the team desires a large audience. The contest bids fair to be an interesting one and the evening's entertainment will be worth while as entertainment, while the program will also be informative

CITY TO INSPECT RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS

ALL PERSONS HANDLING ANY FOODS ARE RIGIDLY INSPECTED

Health officer Doctor L. G. Cook and city inspector Henry Bosch started yesterday on a tour of inspection, visiting Holland's restaurants and hotels, and other places where food is served.

Under the state law and city ordinance all persons handling such food, in public places, shall undergo a rigid examination. This examination is made by doctors under the supervision of the Board of Health.

All persons so examined, and are found O. K., will be given a permit to continue in their duties, and the place of business will be given a clean "bill of health." Those found not in the proper condition of course cannot serve food any longer.

It is stated that barber shops will come under inspection next after the inspectors have finished with the eating and food handling places.

LOCAL

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ray left for an extended trip through the west including California and all points of interest there.

Austin Harrington is attending the National Good Roads Ass'n convention at Chicago.

Albert Overbeek of East Saugatuck had two bones in his right arm broken above the wrist while he was cranking his Ford during a cold morning this week. Overbeek is 16 years old.

William Vander Ploeg of Hamilton who spent three months in Holland hospital because of a broken and badly mangled leg, sustained in a fall from a motorcycle, was at last discharged as cured.

Membership in Merritt Lamb post No. 9, American Legion, Muskegon, has been boosted to 440 as the result of a membership campaign now under way. This report was made to the board of governors Tuesday night.

Miss Neva Green of Fennville, was operated on at her home for appendiitis yesterday morning. Dr. Winter of Holland was the surgeon assisted by Dr. Walker of Saugatuck and Dr. Bos of this village.—Fennville Herald.

A marriage license has been issued in Allegan county for L. Osterhof of Overisel and Vera K. True of Indiana.

The Misses Kathryn and Beryl Kemme, students at Hope College spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kemme at Noordeloos.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison and family will move to Holland Wednesday. Mr. Morrison has accepted a positin in that city with the Federal Mfg. Co.—G. H Tribune

Kenneth Martin of Grand Haven is making a reputation as a Charleston expert. Last Friday night he won the head prize for dancing the Charleston at the Regent ball room in Grand Rapids. Previous to that he took head prize for the Charleston at the Regent theatre in Muskegon.

Mrs. Archie Graham was a most gracious hostess at a farewell party which was given at her home, on Monday evening, by the Pennoyer Avenue club, the guest of honor being Mrs. John Morrison. The Morrisons are leaving Wednesday for Holland where they will make their future home. Mrs. Morrison is a charter member of the club, and her going will be keenly noticed. Twenty lady guests from Grand Haven and Spring Lake were present.—G. H. Tribune.

Vaudie Vandenberg is in Lansing today in the interest of the Wolverine Advertising Co.

On Sunday evenings the minister of Trinity Reformed church is at the present time preaching a series of sermons on the general subject, "Unknown Men and Women of the Gospels." Next Sunday evening Rev Mr Dame will preach on the subject, "The Unknown Wonder Worker of the Gospels."

Victor Maxam, another of the students from Hamilton attending high school in Holland, has taken up his school residence in Holland for a time.—Allegan Gazette.

Says the Hamilton correspondent: "If as many improvements are made in Hamilton during 1926 as were made in 1925 the residents will be referring to Holland and Allegan as suburban districts.

Holland police have been asked to make a search for William E. Kellogg, aged 37 years, who dropped out of sight at Muskegon on September 28. Before his disappearance he sent his watch to his sister in Rockford, Illinois, and stated that he was tired of living.

Austin Harrington is attending the Michigan Association of fairs now holding at Detroit. As chairman of the Ottawa county road commission, Mr. Harirngton first attended the National Good Roads convention at Chicago, and as president of the Holland fair association, he skipped over from there to Detroit to take in the fair meet. There might be a remote possibility to have the next convention staged in Holland.

REAL ESTATE FIRM INCORPORATES FOR $100,000

WILL SPECIALIZE IN REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE AND BONDS

The Holland Realty and Insurance company, better known as Arendshorst Insurance and Real Estate, has incorporated in the sum of $100,000, and the business of the business of the firm will be of the firm will be so classified that the men connected will specialize in their respective departments.

Sometime ago the old Waverly building at 31 West 8th street was purchased, and the ground floor was remodeled in such a way that a move of this kind could be made.

C Klaasen who was in the real estate business in Detroit at the height of the boom there, came to Holland about three years ago, and for the past year has been in charge of the real estate department, of the above named company.

Frank Vancovern for some time offce man at the Home Furnace company, and later connected with the Holland Maid company, will be in charge of the life insurance, in fact he connected up with this firm on January 1st.

John Arendshorst, secretary of the Holland fair, will have general supervision, besides attending to his fair duties, and looking after resort property. He states that within a very few weeks he will put in a bond department where investments can be made in well secured bonds. This department will go under the head of Bonds, Investments and Securities.

Mr Arendshorst entered into insurance and real estate business about ten years ago.

REV. HARRY BULTEMA, AUTHOR OF "MARANATHA", SPEAKS HERE TONIGHT

The Berean Bible Conference will close its sessions this evening at the Berean church located on the corner of 19th street and Maple Avenue. Tonight at 7 o'clock Rev Jacob Huizenga of the First Baptist church of Holland will speak and immediately following Rev Harry Bultema of Muskegon will give an interesting discourse.

It will be remembered that Mr Bultmea seceded from the Christian Reformed church after he published his book "Maranatha" which brought a stir in that denomination, and the Muskegon pastor was expelled by Synod and started a church of his own at Muskegon, which is the mother of the local Berean church.

LEE HIGH TOSSERS FALL UNDER ATTACK OF ZEELAND QUINT

Zeeland high trimmed Lee high at Zeeland last night in a fast game of basketball, 22 to 14. Lee got off into the lead in the opening period, but from then on appeared unable to locate the basket. The feature of the game was the playing of Stervelt of Zeeland, who made three field goals in rapid succession in the third quarter, giving Zeeland a lead which Lee could not overcome.

The guarding of Lee was ragged at times, allowing Zeeland to make many close-in shots. Syswerda starred for Lee, Stervelt for Zeeland.

Holland Furnace and Grand Haven teams meet tonight on the local armory floor. A large crowd is expected to come out and see Spurgeon perform and he alone is worth coming to see. The Furnace team needs support as the management is going to a great expense in order to bring the best to Holland. he New York Nationals are carded for next week and a brand new outfit of national fame will also appear here later. Geo. Flikkema will handle the game on Thursday night.

Holland dog owners will be interested in the new ruling to which Director John Baird of the fish and game conservation department of Michigan calls attention namely: that the Illinois supreme court has held that dogs are personal property. This will put a crimp in the practice of deputy sheriffs shooting dogs that are running deer, he says.

Mrs. D. A. Brink of Hamilton accidentally wallowed a sharp tack which she had placed in her mouth while adjusting a curtain fixture. A physician was hastily summoned, and removed the sharp object to the relief of the much alarmed woman.

Allegan county snow plows from Allegan have been clearing the Bee line between Hamilton and Holland and have opened the townline road from East Saugatuck to the West Micigan Pike, and have also opened the town road between Laketown and Fillmore as well as the north road from East Saugatuck to Holland.

Purchase of a bronze bas-relief of Rix Robinson, Western Michigan pioneer, was ordered Tuesday by the Kent county board of supervisors. It will be placed in the supervisors' room and will replace a relief now hanging there and said to be owned by the Old Settlers' association. Robinson was one of the first supervisors of the county and was the first trapper and white man who had a trading post on the Grand near Grand Haven.

GIVES HISTORY OF HOLLAND-GRAND HAVEN B. B. GAMES

HOLLAND HAS WON AND GOT WHIPPED SINCE 1922

Grand Haven Tribune—Grand Haven and Holland, rivals for Ottawa county athletic supremacy from times before the "big wind", will battle on the basketball court here Friday night before a crowd that promises to pack the high school gymnasium to the gills. Previous Holland games have always packed the galleries and first floor space and this year's game should be no exception. The second teams of the two schools will meet in the preliminary games.

There is no way of inventorying past contests on the court and finding out who is on top of the heap in the manner of games won but as long as the local scribe has been here, the results have been as given below. In 1922 the Grand Haven five went down to Holland, bristling with confidence and came back, licked 21 to 6. Archie Campbell made six free throws and the team couldn't even collect a field goal. The next year the Holland team won on the local court in spite of a promising Havenite squad. The score was 27 to 14 or thereabouts.

The next season the Havenites went to Holland and only a few fans dared make the trip, remembering the fate of the Blue and Gold in the two previous years. The Havenites won, about 31 or 36 to 18 or so. The next year, 1925, two games were played and Grand Haven annexed both, 15 to 13 here and 21 to 12 in the Holland gym. The game here was a close call with Holland showing some real stuff but with Den Herder playing in the next game, the locals did their stuff.

This year the Holland boys are out to avenge three straight defeats and will no doubt make it hot for the Cohrsmen. The Hinga team has Jappinga and Breen, two diminutive but clever and fast forwards who are accurate shooters and who are bound to be troublesome. Nettinga's loss to the Holland squad was given the bulk of the blame for the loss of games with Grand Rapids South and Kalamazoo Central last week. He will be back for the Grand Haven game, it is stated.

OTTAWA CO. SUPERVISORS ADJOURN MEETING

The Ottawa county board of supervisors adjourned Wednesday noon after a session starting on Monday noon and ending yesterday. Nothing was on the business docket which amounted to a great deal and the session was given over to the usual routine work.

Bills for the county were passed upon and payment authorized on those that received the o. k. of the county solons.

All the Holland supervisors were present at these sessions namely Chris Nibbelink, Simon Kleyn, Ed Vanden Berg, Henry Vander Warf, and John J Rutgers. Also Geo. Heneveld of Park Township and John Y Huizenga of Holland township.

A note of optimism was struck by Mr. Wynand Wichers about conditions in Europe in an extremely informative address Monday night before the Century club when it met at the W. L. C. hall. Mr. Wichers' address, which was packed full of interesting information, was on the subject, "Political Tendencies in Europe."

For the first time since the Armistice, according to the speaker, there is distinct reason to be hopeful about the future of Europe and it is now beginning to look as if Europe is to get on its feet again, in spite of some signs that are still depressing. First of the reasons for hope is the reversal of the attitude of France toward Germany. Until very recently this has been an attitude that applied the methods of war to peace time conditions. Justified though those methods might be, their great fault was that they did not work. For a number of reasons that the speaker described in detail France has come to see this and has faced about in its methods so that the future of the relations between these two important nations seems hopeful for the first time.

Another hopeful sign is the strengthening of the entente cordiale between France and England. This entente cordiale held without a single crack all through the war, but after the war France and England drifted far apart. Mr. Wichers gave the various reasons for this, connected with internal politics and foreign relations of those two countries. Recently the two nations have drawn together again for mutual support in domestic and foreign matters and this new understanding is a big factor in the hopeful outlook in Europe.

Rehabilitation of the Central European countries is a third hopeful sign. These nations, once on the very verge of chaos, have been saved as political entities, they have gradually been coming back through the help of such things as the Dawes plan and other factors, and today there is reason to expect that rehabilitation will be certain in the long run. This certainty has stabilized European conditions. A fourth reason for hope is the fact that conditions in the non-democratic states of Europe, Spain, Italy, Russia, seem to point to a new deal in the not far distant future for the people of these nations and the freedom of the world.

LOCAL POLICE CATCH MUCH WANTED MAN

Chief Van Ry and his men are receiving the congratulations and thanks of banking associations of many states, as well as letters of commendation from the hotel men's associations, for they have been largely instrumental in capturing Rosco Mackin, a board bill jumper and a forger, who has swindled hundreds of hotels about the country, and scores upon scores of business men, especially hotel proprietors, were his victims through forged checks.

Mackin who has more than twenty aliases thus far dug up, is a kindly faced old gentleman who would allay suspicion anywhere. He is agreeable, a fine conversationalist, modest in his talk, and has the appearance of a staid business man who can be trusted.

In September, 1925, Mackin registered at Hotel Kraker under the name of M. C. Waters. He had stated that he was a bank adjuster and also an insurance adjustor, and was about to make his home in Holland, and establish an office here. He stayed at Hotel Kraker for ten days without paying his bill, then he received a hurry up call, he claimed, to adjust some insurance losses in another city, and he appeared very anxious to have Simon Meeuwsen, the hotel clerk save him his room, for he had become attached to it, had placed some nick-nacks on the wall, and would stay at least a month longer until he became established.

Before going he presented two checks one for $75 and another for $31.25, issued supposedly by the Galesburg, Illinois Fire Insurance Company, and drawn on the Galesburg National bank, representing expense money for traveling, he claimed.

Unsuspectingly, the hotel clerk, Mr. Meeuwsen, cashed the checks, part of it going for room rent. The checks were deposited in a regular way thru the Holland banks, but were soon returned marked "fraud, no account."

The checks and a description of the man were given to Chief of Police Van Ry and then the chase began. This was on September 23. Mr. Van Ry published a notice in what is known as The Police Detective, printed in Chicago, and which goes to every police headquarters in the United States and Canada. No sooner had the notice come out in print, when Mr. Van Ry received a letter from the Wisconsin Bankers' Association, stating that they had read the notice about this particular case, and they thought they knew the man from the description given by the Holland police. But in order to be sure, they sent Mr. VanRy a photograph of the suspect and from this the man was immediately identified by Mr. Meeuwsen of Hotel Kraker.

Chief Van Ry telegraphed the Bankers' Association that this was the man. The Bankers Association took a "long shot", stating that they had heard thru report from Willmar, Minnesota, that an investigation was being made on a man who played a similar trick in a Wisconsin town the same as Mackin, alias Waters played in Holland.

This information was also wired to Mr. Van Ry, but he did not wait for any other agency to get busy, but he immediately wired to the chief of police of Willmar, where the man had been traced and received the information he desired together with a description of the man, and the Willmar police were asked to hold Waters until a Holland officer could come down and bring him to this city.

This was done and Officer Cornelius Steketee was first sent to Lansing to get extradition papers from Gov. Groesbeck to the Governor of Minnesota. Mr. Steketee proceeded from Lansing to Willmar and wired back to Mr. VanRy that he had the right man and although Mackin first intended to fight extradition he signed a waiver when Officer Steketee arrived.

Mr. Steketee arrived back in Holland Saturday and Macklin was arraigned before Justice Wm. Brusse and was bound over to circuit court for trial on a forgery charge.

During the hunt and since the arrest Chief Van Ry has been receiving telegrams and letters from the Michigan Bankers Association, the Ohio Bankers' Association and also from associations in Iowa, Indiana, as well as Hotel Mens' associations from a dozen states.

All of them state that they are sending warrants down on other charges against this man, in order that they may be used immediately should the prosecution in Holland fail.

The officers of these associations state that this man is one of the shrewest swindlers in the U. S., who numbers his victims by the thousands. They state that the Burns Detective Agency as well as the Pinkerton detectives have been scouring the nation for this man, and that the Pinkertons are wondering how of all things the Holland police should discover this criminal way up in northern Minnesota.

When Mackin was arrested he was working as a hotel clerk at the Commercial hotel in Willmar.

The Burn Agency, it is said, cooperated with the local police as well as with the Bankers' Association, and wherever they went they found that this man was wanted.

In Ladysmith, Wis., Mackin had cleaned up exceptionally well, but the officers were always a few days behind the alleged criminal.

The Michigan Bankers' Association published in their bulletin last month, that a man named C. S. Childs was swindling in several Michigan towns. This proved to be Mackin who has a score of aliases.

Strange to say Mackin used the letters "M. C. W." in nearly all his fake names. Here are a few that the police have discovered thus far. M. C. Waterson, M. C. Wagner, James Madon, Mark C. Weber, Martin C. Willmington, L. S. Brown, Rosco Mackin, Cyrus Mackin, James Mackin, M. C. Whorton, P. S. Clark, M. C. Welmen and M. C. Wahlstorm.

It is found that the man has served six months in jail in Beloit, Wis., also on a forgery charge, and it was found there that his real name was Rosco Mackin, and from his picture held by Chief Van Ry no one would suspect that this is a criminal, but would consider him a kindly old man of refinement.

Mackin, who was lodged in the city jail until Monday morning was taken by Officer Bontekoe to Grand Haven. Mackin claims to the police that he never saw Holland before. However, the man taken back to this city alleged to have all these aliases, did not attempt to fight extradition, and was a model prisoner from Minnesota to Holland, Officer Steketee states.

OTTAWA PIONEER REACHES AGE OF 92

Henry Ernst, a pioneer of Ottawa county, died at his home on M-16 near Nunica. Mr Ernst settled there in early days and was one of Crockery township's best known citizens. Years ago, before locating on the Nunica farm, he had been a railroad man on the Grand Trunk. Motorists going by the Ernst home, the large brick house just west of Crockery flats, will remember the old gentleman. For several years now through the spring, summer and fall he could have been seen sitting on the lawn of his farm home and hundreds of passing automobiles grew to know him in that way. Mr Ernst had reached the advanced age of 92 years. For a number of years he had made his home with his son, William and family.

Drank Too Much Beef, Iron and Wine; Is Given Fine

Hendrik Schutt of Holland was found dead to the world by Officer Bontekoe on River Ave., and the next morning e paid a fine of $10.10 in J. Den Herder's court.

Shutt had three bottles of beef iron and wine in his possession and had sampled all of them. This is a patent medicine that may be procured in any drug store, but it contains 20 per cent alcohol according to the chief.

Mr. Van Ry states that druggists sould be careful and not sell a man of Shutt's type so many bottles at one time. The medicine is intended for strength but apparently it was too strong for Schutt.

Before five thousand people, including distinguished army officers and officials of Rantoul, Ill., Gov. Len Small pinned a good citizenship medal on Elton R. Hansen of Holland, Mich., with more than one hundred other soldiers of the army air service, at the graduating exercise of the citizenship training class conducted at Ohanute flying field near Rantoul.

Leading members of veterans organizations, religious bodies, and high schools took part in elaborate ceremonies marking the graduation of what was said to be the second citizenship class of its kind in the United States to complete the special course of study.

Mr Van Putten of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company has given the students of Holland Christian high the opportunity to write a short essay on the benefits of life insurance. Prizes were to be given to the senior, junior and sophomore classes. The following have received the prize: Seniors, 1st prize, William Brankena; 2nd, Leo Peters; 3rd, Wynne Brink. Juniors, 1st prize, August Frankema; 2nd, Edwin Heeninga; 3rd, Betty Van Vliet. Sophmores, 1st prize, Henry Dobben; 2nd,, Elizabeth Plockmeyer; 3rd, Grace Holkeboer.

The legion of women now engaged in the radio field, many of them in the vicinity of Holland, received a notable addition recently when Mrs. Dora Stockman of the Michigan state board of agriculture inaugurated "Farmerkins" bedtime stories as part of a farm program broadcast each Monday night from 7 to 7:15, central time, over Station KKAR at the Michigan State college. Following this feature the WKAR Radio school lectures, covering subjects of interest to farmers, will be put on the air.

Mrs Charles A Johnson, aged 79 years, died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs P Bauman, in Port Sheldon township. Mrs Johnson is a native of Vermont and came to this state in 1871, living in this community ever since. She is survived by four children: Frank C of Jackson, Addison D. of Detroit, Mrs P. Bauman of Port Sheldon township, and Mrs P Jarness of Wausau, Wis., also by eight grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. She died after an illness of about five months.

The funeral was held Tuesday forenoon at ten o'clock at the home of Mr and Mrs Bauman and at 10:30 at the Harlem church, Rev J C De Vinney of Holland officiating. Interment was in the Holland township cemetery.

TIME LIMIT IS EXTENDED TO FEBRUARY

Chief Frank Van Ry, who extended the time for Holland motorists to get their licenses to January 10, has given another extension. This extension is for a longer period and will be until Monday, February 1st.

Chief Van Ry feels that lower Ottawa has been having a hard time getting connected up with the auto license station, even tho many endeavors have been made by car owners to procure the licenses.

He states that many owners of automobiles have paid their money over long ago, but their license plates have not yet arrived. They surely cannot be blamed after they have done their part, and it would be unjust to make arrests under these conditions.

Mr. VanRy states, however, that February 1st is positively the last day. County Clerk Orrie Sluiter is now caught up with his applications and he sent 300 license plates to Holland Friday, and these can be secured from Benjamin Brower at the Peoples State bank.

With three weeks' of grace left, Chief Van Ry feels that there should no longer be any congestion or difficulty in securing licenses, nor can there be any excuses offered for not having them by that time.

The bulk of the licenses have now been issued, and with the three weeks added motorists have no cause for worry. However, they should not wait until the last day and then rush in, for this in part had considerable to do with the congestion, not alone in Ottawa county, but in practically every county in the state.

The Holland chief of police wishes to be fair, but he asks the citizens to co-operate and not delay aplying for licenses any longer.

Mrs E R Brink passed away Sunday afternoon at her home in East Saugatuck after having been under the doctor's care for over a year. She was 63 years old. Besides the husband, seven children survive who mourn her loss: Ralph, Bert, Mrs Geo. Gensink, Mrs John Gensink, all living a few miles south of Holland, and Luke, John and Henry at home.

The funeral was held Thursday at 12 o'clock at the home, 5 miles south and one mile east of the East Saugatuck road and at one o'clock in the church at East Saugatuck. Deceased was a sister of John Y. Huizenga, living on the Zeeland road, and Luurt Huizenga of Sunfield. She has other relatives at Coopersville, Spring Lake, Grand Rapids. Her husband is a brother of H. R. Brink, missionary J. R. Brink of Grand Rapids, Mrs N Wezeman of Cicero, Ill., and Mrs. H. J. Heynen of Orange City, Ia.

Franklin C. Cappon of Holland, assistant coach at Michigan university, was named as head football coach at the University of Kansas. Cappon succeeds George "Potsy" Clark, who recently resigned. Harold Steele, assistant freshman coach at Michigan university, was elected assistant to Cappon. Steele succeeds Karl Schalademan, who will leave the Kansas school at the end of this year.

Cappon is a former Michigan football player, having held positions on that team in 1920, 1921, and 1922. He has been a member of the Michigan coaching staff for the past three seasons. Steele is also a former Michigan player. He was on the team in 1922 and 1923.

The state press says "Franklin C. Cappon is well known in Western Michigan sport circles, starring at Holland high during his high school days, both in basketball and football. He is still a resident of Holland and ranks as the greatest athlete ever developed at the little city on he shores of Black Lake."

Miss Amanda Hill, Allegan Co. home demonstration agent, will give the second lesson in the clothing project at the Fillmore town hall on Friday, Jan. 15, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All the women of the community are invited to attend. Bring three pieces of percale, six by eight inches, needle and thread; also your own dinner. Coffee will be served.

Announcement is made that 36 students of Western State Normal made the high scholarship list during the fall term. The list includes: Lois Fern Bennett, Saugatuck, Alice Hester Bushman, Coopersville; Josephine Cummings, Centerville; Margaret C. Duiven, of Grand Rapids; Marie Fosmoe, Muskegon; Lenore B. Gifford, Eaton Rapids; Grace . Gilbert, Muskegon; Anna Frances Kieft, Grand Haven; Gladys Lucile Kline, Marcellus; Norma M. Murray, Hudsonville; Eleanor Osborn, Delton; Dorothy M. Sandel, Comstock Park.

Frank Van Weelden, age 15 and a sophomore in Grand Haven high school, sustained painful injuries as a result of a mishap in running a joiner in the Manual Training class Friday afternoon. Young Van Weelden who is the son of Mr and Mrs Marinus Van Weelden, was making a cedar chest when it became necessary to use the jointer. The youth started to operate the machine but was not hanging onto the piece of lumber as tightly as he should, when his hand slipped and the tips of the two middle fingers in his left hand were cut off.

P. J. OSBORNE OF HOLLAND BEGINS TO MANUFACTURE NOVELTIES

P J Osborne, son-in-law of Percy Ray who for many years was salesmanager of the West Michigan Furniture company, has started the manufacture of furniture novelties in Holland. The novelties cover a wide range for besides the strictly furniture novelties, he is making pictures and oil painting and all sorts of interesting and delicate things to beautify the home. Mr Osborne is operating under the firm name of P J. Osborne Co., Inc. He will be showing in July in the Grand Rapids market. The factory is located over the Boeve Auto Company on Central Avenue.—G. R. Herald.

PERE MARQUETTE TRAIN COLLIDES WITH BUS

The Pere Marqutte train No. 2, scheduled to arrive in Holland from Grand Rapids at shortly before 8 o'clock Tuesday morning collided with the Grand Rapids-Grandville bus while it was crossing near Ivinrest, a short distance east of Grandville.

The crash occurred a few moments after the bus driver had stopped the large bus in order to find out whether a train was approaching.

There were only two passengers in the bus when it was struck in the rear by the train. The impact threw the vehicle 50 feet and down a gully, the bus pulling down a telephone pole in its wake.

The men injured are Jacob De Jager, aged 55, of Grandville, who has a fractured skull and is not expected to live. Those not so severely injured are Walter Fare of Grandville and Royce Lamson, the driver.

The injured were rushed to St. Mary's hospital by Fred Abels of Hudsonville, who was on his way to work at the Bolhuis Lumber company plant at Grand Rapids.

He said he did not see the crash but found the injured beside the wrecked bus. He said that Lamson, the driver, was sitting on the ground and was holding De Jager who was unconscious and bleeding.

John Sandy, formerly of Holland and claim adjustor for the Pere Marquette, was in one of the half dozen coaches of the train when the crash occurred. He said he heard the engineer sound the whistle twice as the train approached the crossing, then felt the airbrakes applied and heard the sound of the crash.

Lake Michigan was on a rampage again Sunday, waves fanned by a strong suthwest wind, hurling themselves over the piers that guard the entrances to Muskegon harbor. With the shift of the wind toward the west, the slush ice which cleared from the west shore a few days started to come back.

One steamer, the Peninsula and Northern boat, Arizona, was due out of Grand Haven. The boat got into Grand Haven Sunday morning and stayed there. The Alabama of the Goodrich line is due out tonight.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Friday afternoon was given to the observance of the sixth anniversary of the prohibition amendment. This meeting was nearest the actual date, Jan. 16, when the law went into effect. Mrs. A. Pieters' devotional exercise had that in mind. Miss Margaret Wetveer gave a reading on the 18th Amendment. Snapshots on world prohibition, prepared by Miss Katherine Post, presented a hopeful view of the temperance question in many countries, whose people have a keen interest in the success of prohibition in the United States and its economic value.

Mrs. Miles, in her talk on "Our Greater Task Ahead," said it consisted largely along the lines of educating the public mind to good citizenship—the duty to obey all laws, to teach the youth obedience, to observe the Sabbath day religiously and bar bad literature, to oppose all wrong and encourage the right in our youth. She also regarded the courts a tfault in the prolonged trials, easy pardon and parole technicalities and sympathy for the criminal.

Mrs. H. Van Ark read some terse sayings on the evils of war from "Private" Peat's book.

Margaret Schuurman entertained with a humorous reading on "Having My Picture Took."

Mrs. Cecil Huntley and her committee served tea and cake.

Tuesday night Mrs. Cora Mc Creary of East 16th St., entertained with a dinner dance for her daughter who is home from the Arden School on her vacation. The following were guests: Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Ferris N. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Straatsma, Dr. N. S. Mc Leod, Mr. Adrian Van Putten, Mr. Charles Van Duren, Mr. Henry Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gschwind, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carnitz, Miss Dorothy Van Drezer, Miss Mary Bremer.

Saturday's issue of the Grand Rapids Press contained the first of a series of articles under the head, "The Christian Religion", written by Rev. A.Pieters, D. D., professor of Bibblical literature of Hope College. The title of Saturday's article was "Why Are We Here?"

In an introductory article published a few days ago before, a "group of Christian laymen" explained that they were financing this series of articles to bring home to the people of Grand Rapids and western Michigan the fundamentals of the Christian religion. The articles are to appear three time a week for the next three months.

NO BAIL IS LIKELY FOR GEO. SHIPLEY

It was definitelyp stated that Attorney Charles E. Misner of Grand Haven had been retained as counsel for George Shipley, alias Shipkowski, and that Shipley would undoubetdly put up a fight against the charges against him.

The prisoner has been very quiet and has not been allowed to see anyone in the jail although officers say that he has requested being let in the "bull pen" with the rest of the prison inmates. He has not been allowed any cigarettes either, according to Sheriff Kamferbeek who has prohibited the use of the "pills' among inmates of the jail because of the fact that a law violation would occur if minors were held as the state law bans their use by persons under 21 years of age.

The bail bond needed by Shipley is fifteen thousand dollars and no move has been made to secure this amount for the release of the prisoner or to get it reduced to any extent. The trial is slated for the January term of court and as Judge Cross will start the term on Monday afternoon at two o'clock there, the alleged Marne bank bandit will not have much time to wait.

Mr Misner has been given sole charge of the case and Benjamin Lovenstein, the criminal lawyer who accompanied Shipley here from Richmond, has left and is no longer connected with the case in anyway.

George Shipley, accused of holding up and robbing the Marne bank, filed before Judge Cross Monday afternoon and had the date of his trial set in the present term of court. Shipley appeared fairly cheerful, had a nice crease in his trousers and was well kept in every way. Officers say he is decidedly of the type who value personal cleanliness above every other jail privilege.

Even while confined to his "solitary" pen on the second floor of the county jail, Shipley looked forward to the coming of Saturday when he could enter a lower cell block and take a good bath. He came out of the cell with a dripping shirt, hat he had "washed" out in some way. So far, Shipley has had no chance to talk with any of the prisoners save with a drunk who was in the lower cell block when he took his bath. He came out much refreshed and announced he was "ready to face the judge."

A large number appeared Monday before the Judge who disposed of their cases, remanding them for sentence or if they pleaded not guilty, fixing dates of their trials. All attorneys interested in cases this term, were present.

Mrs. Jacob Vork, aged 64 years, died Tuesday morning at her home at 23 W. 17th street. Mrs. Vork has been living in Holland for about a year, coming here from a farm about a mile from Saugatuck where she had been living for many years. She had been ill for a long time.

The deceased is survived by 9 children: Henrietta, Mrs. J. Fredericks of Tustin, Mrs. John Bartels Milo, Harry, Mrs. John Menken, George, Alto, and Margaret.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 12:30 at the home and at one o'clock at the Prospect Park Christian Reformed church. Interment will be in the Saugatuck cemetery.

Herman G. Ratering, who has been with Holland Co-Operative association since 1920, has severed his connection with the Holland concern to engage in development work fostered by the Michigan state farm bureau, and will have his headquarters in the Patterson building at Flint.

Mr. Ratering will represent the Micigan farm bureau district No. 1, comprising Shiawassee, Genesee and Lapeer county farm bureaus.

It is stated that a new development, which is one of the greatest and most far-reaching moves the organization has ever made, is now being inaugurated.

Several lines of farm bureau work will be started as rapidly as possible in Shiawassee, Genesee and Lapeer counties by District Manager Ratering. Among them will be the completion of arrangements with co-ops, car door men and other agencies so that every farm bureau member may secure the commercial services of the state farm bureau, such as milkmaker, poultry feeds, mill feeds, coal, fertilizer, and other supplies from the Michigan farm bureau supply service; pure seeds of known northern origin from the farm bureau seed service.

Mr. Ratering will assist farm bureau members to avail themselves of the farm bureau poultry exchange's sales service in Detroit, and the fabric department's virgin wool blankets, suitings, overcoats, and underwear at Lansing. He will assist members in taking advantage of the farm bureau traffic department's loss and damage claims and other railroad matters that may come up.

Mr. Ratering has made a wonderful success with the Holland Co-Operative association, starting as a bookkeeper, working up to the managership, all within five years, and this fact is what attracted the Michigan State farm bureau heads.

They had heard of his exceptional ability and had sent a representative down to make negotiations and because of the flattering offer, the Holland man, after taking the matter under consideration accepted the position offered. He is already in Flint on the job.

WHAT TO DO WITH "DUTCH" ANDERSON'S $64, BIG QUESTION

What to do with $64 found on the body of George "Dutch" Anderson. That's the question propounded to the city commission Monday night by City Atty. E C Farmer of Muskegon.

The money now is in the hands of city treasurer Anna Vos, but Coroner Tiede Clock, who handled the body, has placed a claim on it. It doesn't appear that he will get it, however.

Mr Farmer gave an opinion that the money would have to be placed with the Anderson estate and probated, that it could not be given away by the city, and that any bill the undertaker submitted would have to go to the county.

V. R. Mountain of Cedar Creek township near Muskegon, was fined $10 and costs of $16.75 by Justice Jerome E Turner Monday for shooting a duck in violation of the law.

DUTCH BOY CO. SHOWS PROGRESS

At a meeting of the Dutch Boy company a review of the first year's activities of this new Holland manufacturing plant showed that the firm has made very good progress since it was organized a year ago. The manager gave a very satisfactory report and the concern seems headed for a successful career in Holland.

The Dutch Boy company manufactures the Holland Cleaner and the Duch Boy yeast food. The directors chosen for the coming year are Henry Winter, S J Jenckes, Wm Vander Ven, Raymond Kuiper and Theodore Kuiper.

Gerald Van Gelderen, 12, suffered severe scalp wounds and was made unconscious when he was struck by an automobile driven by County Agent C. P Milham. The lad was returning home from school in Vriesland and fell as he crossed the tracks on which the car was running. Milham was unable to stop his machine, which was running at moderate speed. The incident is considered purely accidental.

The automatic train stop of the intermittent inductive type operated in connection with the block system which automatically closes the locomotive throttle when a train enters a danger block is now in successful operation on the Pere Marquette railway line between Grand Rapids and Detroit, according to a bulletin from the headquarters of President Frank H. Alfred. The installations were made on the order of the interstate commerce commission. Inspectors of the commission have approved the installations, which are among the first in the country.

Born to Mr and Mrs Adrian Veele, Jan. 3rd, a boy, Donald Gordon.

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IS SECURED FOR BANQUET GOOD SPEAKER

Word was received Wednesday by the program committee of the Holland Merchants association that Lee Bierce, secretary of the Grand Rapids association of commerce will be the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the merchants association here. Mr. Bierce, who is a very effective speaker, was invited a short time ago to be the speaker but there was some doubt as to his acceptance because of numerous other engagements that he has. However, Wednesday he assured the committee that he would be here and so the principal part of the program has been arranged for.

Another feature of the program that has been clinched is the appearance of Bert Hogan, famous Irish-Dutch comedian. Hogan has appeared in Holland many times before and he has never failed to convulse his audience with his funny cracks in his mixture of the Dutch and Irish idiom. He is a funmaker of the first water and it is certain that he will give the program the snap that merchants have come to expect at these banquets.

The banquet is to be held on the evening of Feb. 2, at the Masonic temple. And the capacity of the temple will be taxed, the committee feels certain. Last year nonmerchants who wished to attend the banquet had to be turned away for lack of room in spite of the fact that not a person was asked to buy a ticket but all the pasteboards were purchased within a couple of days after they had been placed on sale.

Since last year the membership was only 125 an dthis year 175, it seems certain that there will be a crowd. At any rate, anyone who wishes to attend is advised by the committee to make sure of his tickets at the earliest possible opporunity. These banquets have become so popular that it is hard to find a hall large enough to hold them in.

In addition to the two numbers announced, there will be a musical program for which arrangements have not yet been completed.

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The Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold their third annual theater party in the Holland theater on Monday evening, Jan. 18, commencing at 7:30 sharp. In addition to the regular performance, addresses will be delivered on the work of the order by John S. Ramy, Grand secretary of the F. O. E., Kansas City, Mo., Wm. Pitt Light, president of the Michigan state aerie of Saginaw and Atty. T. N. Robinson of Holland, in whose honor the local Aerie is conducting a drive for a class of new members to be initiated in February.

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Miss Retta Pas left Tuesday for East Lansing to visit relatives. From there she will go to Hasbrough, N. J., where she will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs James Hoffman. Miss Pas will then join a Christian Herald party that leaves New York Jan. 21st on a Mediterranean cruise and pilgrimage to the holy land.

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The Grand Haven city council held a meeting Monday night in the city hall to take bids on 12,000 barrels of cement. This cement is to be used in paving city streets during the coming summer. On the 12,000 barrels, both N. Robbins of Grand Haven and Peter Van Zylen, entered bids of $2.13 a barrel. It is probable that if this is agreeable, that the business will be split between the two firms.

This summer the paving schedule will probably include about two and a half miles of paving. Columbus street, Franklin street, Sheldon Road, Clinton street and Sherman street, are among the important projects under consideration for paving and work will probably be done on all of them.

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Congratulation to the Univrsity of Kansas upon securing Franklin C. Cappon as a coach was voiced Saturday by Elton E. (Tad) Weiman, Michigan assistant director of athletics and acting head in the absence of Fielding H. Yost.

"Michigan feels an especial pride in Franklin C. Cappon. As a student, athlete, coach and man, he always has represented the highest type of Michigan tradition.

"He has won a permanent place in the affections of all his associates at Michigan. We will miss him tremendously, both as a coach and friend, but we rejoice with him in the mark of recognition he has earned, as we are confident that he will more than justify the faith that has been placed in him.

"We congratulate 'Cappie,' but even more than that we congratulate the University of Kansas upon securing a man of Cappon's caliber to take charge of its program in football."

Announcement of the election of Cappon, as head coach of football at Kansas, and of Harold O. Steele, a teammate of Cappon's in 1922, last fall assistant freshman coach here, as assistant, was announced at the University of Kansas Friday.—Detroit Free Press.

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The Holland Christian high team is already for the Grand Rapids quintet and Coach De Graaf expects a fair sized victory. The games played so far show the two teams to be about evenly matched. The game will be played here Friday night.

Coach Schouten is looking for a close game Friday night against Mt. Pleasant. The Normal team beat the Bethany's easily while Hope had to spurt to gain a victory.

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Mr and Mrs John Etterbeek of Zeeland announces the engagement of their daughter Holeda to Mr Johnny Vos of Holland.

WHAT COUNTY CLERKS MUST SOMETIMES CONTEND WITH

Three letters received by the Menominee county clerk, which are not considered unusual in that office, follow:

1. "Miss Hendrickson is feeling all right again, so would you please let me know if it will be all right to come up Dec. 21 to be married."

2. "Deer sur. in Closed find one fox hed. Please send bouty for same.

"P. S. Let me know next Jan when my tryle comes off."

3. "We have received the marriage lisens and have filled them out and signed by a notary republic and will be there the morning of 23 of dec and would like to enter your offis at 8 o'clock."

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HEKMANS PRESERVE THE OLD DUTCH CUSTOM

Grand Rapids Herald — You know that among our good Holland Dutch friends, who are the highly skilled craftsmen of the furniture factories of Grand Rapids and vicinity, they have a custom of eating about five times a day at least. At 9 or 10 o'clock in the morning and again at 3 in the afternoon, it is their custom to quit work for a few minutes to enjoy a sandwich and a cup of coffee.

In Holland, Mich., where nearly all the officials and employes are Dutch, they blow the whistles on the factories in the middle of the forenoon and again in the middle of the afternoon to give time for all to take that little bite. At those times one will find the lunch counters and restaurants filled with the office help of the town while in the factories everything must stop until the coffee and the sandwich has been taken care of.

Now the Hekmans, who are the Hekman Furniture company of Grand Rapids, are also makers of biscuits. Indeed, it was from the making of fine biscuits that they got the money with which to start and keep going over the rough period the furniture factory which has so developed that now it is one of the splendid institutions of Grand Rapids. But that is only a part of the story.

Go up to the space of the Hekman Furniture company and there you will find open boxes of Hekman biscuits and very beautifully wrapped and packed boxes of them. Everybody is invited to help himself to the open box and each customer takes away with him one of the pretty little souvenir boxes. Thus modified somewhat, the Hekmans are sticking to the old Dutch custom of having something to eat always at hand. In this instance they manage to advertise the Hekman biscuits a little on the side.

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Grand Haven Tribune— Next Friday night, Jan. 15, Grand Haven high school basketeers will run up against Holland, the ancient rival who has been downing Blue and Gold football teams for the past two years and threatening the court squads with crushing defeats. Holland is said to have quite a bit up its sleeve this year and will come down here, bolstered by confidence into a fighting spirit that will make the Cohrsmen step for every point they get.

South went down last Friday and beat Holland, 14 to 9. Muskegon Heights came to Grand Haven and the Cohrsmen walked all over them, trampled them down and threw them out, 50 to 18. The difference is easy. South has developed a real team and beat Holland also a good team, on the Holland floor when Hinga's men were somewhat off form. This will put them in a fighting mood for Grand Haven. The Havenites on the other hand, had a field day and raced about as much as they pleased. This is not good for any team and Grand Haven has got to have quite a bit of scrap instilled to overcome the demoralizing influence of a one-sided victory.

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An unusually large and appreciative audience listened to a musicale given by Hope College students at Woman's Literary club Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was the annual guest day held by the club. The entire program was under the able leadership of John Lloyd Kollen, who again on this occasion proved himself to be a very capable director. Mr. Kollen has organized an orchestra of 26 pieces at the local college and thru his concentrated effort has stimulated an interest in music which was evidenced in each selection given by the orchestra and soloists. The entire program was very pleasing to listen to and was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience. Printed programs were prepared for the occasion thus giving everyone an opportunity to know the name and composer of each number. Miss Nettinga's solo from the "Messiah," accompanied by the stringed orchestra, was especially effective. The program was as follows: Schubert, Moment Musical, Op. 94, No. 3; Gluck, "Gavotte," from the opera, "Iphigenie en Aulide," Hope College Orchestra. Rachmaninov, Prelude in C Sharp Minor, Robert Hemkes. Smith, By the Wandering Waters; Ford, The Island Where Babies Grow, Cornelia Nettinga, Ardean Van Arendonk, Acc. Handel, He Shall Feed His Flock, from "The Messiah," Miss Nettinga and orchestra. Rubinstein, Kamennoi - Ostrow; Tschaikowsky, Chant sans paroles (Song Without Words), Ardean Van Arendonk, Kenneth Mook, George La Mere. Brahms, Two Hungarian Dances, V and VI Hope College orcestra.

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Friday night the indoor baseball fans of this city will be afforded a real treat as a crack team from Grand Ranids is slated to play against Holland's best. In the visitors' lineup will be the finest array of stars that the furniture city can boast of, and that is saying something, as indoor is played in that city in two leagues, and many professionals are listed.

CITIES ARE PLEASED WITH RATE ISSUE

Mayor Kammeraad, city attorney Charles McBride and some of the aldermen have been very active in fighting a proposed raise in Bell telephone rates in this city. The local authorities have been working with the municipal league and have been co-operating with Grand Rapids especially. City attorneys and mayors from different cities took a hand in the scrap, and Grand Rapids and Holland, in this particular instance, have been working together, for one common cause.

The recent decision of the Michigan public utilities commission, giving a reduction in phone rates to the city of Detroit and allowing no raise to be made by the Bell company in the cities outside of Detroit,, has especially struck Holland favorably, for in the demand for a higher rate this city was due for a raise of approximately 30 per cent over the present rates and Grand Haven and Allegan were in the same boat with us.

Attorney Ganson Taggart, city attorney for Grand Rapids, seems especially elated over the victory, judging from the following letter received by city attorney Charles McBride of Holland.

"As you doubtless have seen by the papers, the commission has decided the telephone case. I have gone over the decision and it is, I believe, a complete victory. Both personally, and on behalf of this city, I want to express appreciation of your co-operation and assistance.

"I am more than convinced that we can get the best results in these matters by acting in unison. Grand Rapids gets no immediate benefit from this decision as our rates would not have been increased for some time, but ultimately, I believe, we will have the same benefit as all the rest of the cities and that it is a substantial one."

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Twenty scoutmasters representing all the boy scout troops in Ottawa county assembled Tuesday evening at the city hall in Holland. This was the first meeting of the men who are now giving leadership to more than 200 of the county's boys, and who will form the nucleus for a much larger body.

An organization was effected to manage the activities and handle the many details incidental to the official presentation of the council charter which will take place in the Carnegie gymnasium the evening of February 1st. Council President, Rev. J. J. De Kraker will act as chairman; Scout Executive, F. J. Geiger, director; Scoutmaster Francis Deto ,assistant director; Ass't Scoutmaster, Egbert Fell, director of physical arrangements; Scoutmaster George Damson, Ass't director of physical arrangements; Ass't Scoutmaster, F. Moser, director of ushers; Ass't Scoutmaster Preston Bilz, assistant director of ushers; Ass't Scoutmaster Harold Barkel, director of exhibitions.

The scout executive explained the patrol method of scout work and urged that every troop adopt the plan as soon as possible. This plan makes the scout patrol of eight boys the unit of activities which gives the boys the opportunity of exercising their own initiative, and develops leadership and a sense of responsibility. The scoutmaster, under this plan, serves as an executive giving guidance to the activities of his boys and helping them to do things for themselves. The old-fashioned method of boy leadership was for the leader to make all the plans, carry out all the programs, impose all penalties, ets. This method has proven very unsuccessful as it runs at odds with boy nature and gives the boy no opportunity to develop himself. The leadership training course, which will start in February, will be based upon this plan. The scoutmasters will be organized as a scout troop and eighty per cent of the program will be the "learning by doing" method. The course will be conducted in two sections, one in Grand Haven and one in Holland. Eight sessions will be held at each place and one outdoor session jointly at camp. Every man over seventeen years of age is privileged to take the course, and no obligations will be attached.

The organization committee of the council will meet Friday afternoon at Spring Lake. Frank Scholten of Spring Lake is chairman of this committee."

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The congregation of the First Presbyterian church of Grand Haven, of which Rev. James De Kraker is the pastor, Sunday voted to build a $25,000 church house for the promotion of religious education and to spend $15,000 in remodeling and improving the present church proper. B. P. Sherwood chairman of the board of trustees, said work on the project would be started almost imediately. A building committee was named, with Dr. Afend Vyn as the chairman.

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MUSKEGON—The slander suit of George Vitoch against Rose Cierlak, in which Vitoch asked damages of $10,000, was thrown out of court yesterday, after the jury had been out only 20 minutes. The case is an old one, having been filed in 1923.

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MARQUETTE—With the death today of Mr and Mrs Charles Saari, three members of that family have died from asphyxiation by coal gas since Sunday. The body of Tolvo, their 14-year-old son, was taken from the home Sunday morning after friends, alarmed because they had not seen the family, broke into the house and found the body and the unconscious forms of Mr and Mrs Saari. The latter were taken to a hospital. Mrs Saari never regained consciousness.

LOCAL MAYTAG SALESMAN ATTENDING STATE CONVENTION

Chas. Rozema, Leon Waltz, Jack Vandenburg, Dick Lustma, Max Burch, Bill Vander Kolk, Will Kameraad and Tony Den Uyl, of De Vries & Dornbos, are attending the State Maytag convention and banquet at Lansing today. Some of the principal speakers will be F. L. Maytag, E. L. Maytag, Howard Snyder, Gov. Groesbeck and Coach Fielding H. Yost. The convention will be held at the Hotel Kens and broadcasted from WREO, for Maytag fans. More than 500 Maytag dealers and salesmen will attend the convention.

EXCHANGE CLUB INVITES LADIES TO BANQUET

Secretary Clarence Jalving Wednesday morning mailed circular letters to the members of the Holland Exchange club, addressed "Mr and Mrs (or to be) Exchangeite," informing those persons that on Friday evening at 6:30 sharp the Warm Friend Tavern will be the scene of the biggest little event staged this year, namely the annual banquet to which the ladies are invited.

No program would be complete without our own "Dugan" who is tuning up his orchestra for that occasion. Mr Van Vyven is also the song leader and many popular hits are assured.

The committee on program, consisting of Professor A. Lampen, Principal J. J. Riemersma, C. Vander Muelen, Arthur Visscher and Dick Boter, are rapidly getting the program in shape. One number is assured, and he is a firm believer in the theories advanced many years ago by Isaac Newton. The guest in question is Mr. Ralph Parlette, the man who has proved to at least half the population of the United States that the law of gravity exists, by means of his jar of beans and walnuts, incidental to his lecture.

UUnlike Newton, he is not struck in the eye with an apple, but it is said that he has the power to make you rock with laughter while he is telling you something that will stick in your memory for the rest of your lifetime.

It will hardly be necessary to convert anyone in Holland to the belief in the laws of gravity, for they have all "fallen for it," from infancy. But Parlette knows how to make them fall and like it.

Anyway, this is one of the numbers on the program, and it is understood that there will be others. Benjamin Lievense and J. Den Herder are arranging this spread with Landlord Tyson, and it goes without saying that this feature will be complete in every detail.

Because of the fact that the hotel cannot accommodate more than the members and their wives, no tickets to this banquet will be sold.

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Inasmuch as Allegan county no longer is entitled to two state representatives, a political battle of interest is looming.

It is understood Arthur Odelt, who has represented the first Allegan district, will not run but that Fred Wade of Saugatuck, representative from the old Second district, desires to serve the entire county. But Supervisor Sam Hannah of Leighton township is reported to have similar aspirations.

Accordingly, there is anticipated an interesting battle, the claim being made Hannah is a Groesbeck adherent while Wade is anti-administration.

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The teachers and officers of the 4th Reformed church held their annual business meeting in the basement of the church Tuesday evening, Supt. P. Klaver presiding. Following officers were elected: President, Rev. Heemstra; vice president, Mr. A. Raak; secretary, Mr. Carl Buurma; treasurer, Mr. John Atman; vice-treasurer, Mr. Rein Visser; supt. of Primary Dept., Mrs. J. Koopman. It was decided to raise the salary of Missionary Jean Nienhuis $100.

After the business meeting the following program was given: solo, by Mr. Oomes; reading by Lambert Olgers; talk on "The Three Whys in Our Sunday School Work," by Mr. Jack Prins. Refreshments were served by Sarah Deez and Nettie De Groot.

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Wilbert Harrington, whose father roamed over the site of what is now the city of Holland even before Dr. A. C. Van Raalte and his compatriots came from The Netherlands, died Tuesday at his home about a half a mile south of the city limits on Lincoln avenue. Mr. Harrington, who was 79 years of age, came to live on that farm when he wa sthree months old and he has lived there ever since, with the exception of about a year and a half that he spent in Holland.

In 1846, the year before Van Raalte and his band came, George Harrington, father of the man who died Tuesday, went to the site of Holland with government surveyors. Later, when VanRaalte had settled here the elder Harrington decided to locate here also and the first night here he spent as Van Raalte's guest. Wilbur Harrington was then three months old. The elder Harrington helped Dr. Van Raalte a great deal by teaching the Hollanders the American ways in farming.

The deceased is survived by one son Clifford, living on the old homestead, one daughter, Mrs. George H. Nichols of Ortega, Fla., and one brother, Millard Harrington, who is four years older and lives in Jackson.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Dykstra Funeral Home, Rev. G. Visser, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church, officiating. Interment will be in the Graafschap cemetery.

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Nettinga has returned to school and is again out for practice. This boosts the Holland high stock considerably for their next setto with Grand Haven.

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Mrs. James Ossewaarde, for about five years chairman of production of the Red Cross for South Ottawa, has handed in her resignation, giving other engagements as the reason for relinquishing this work. Mrs. Ossewaarde will not completely sever her connection with the local Red Cross work, however, as she will continue to take charge of Hope church whenever a call comes to the Red Cross for a quota of work in this department.

Mrs. E. J. Blekkink has been named as Mrs. Ossewaarde's successor and she has already entered upon the duties of her position.

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Hope, Albion and Mt. Pleasant teams will meet Feb. 12 in their first triangular debate of the season. Hope will debate at Albion and Mt. Pleasant at home.

Prof. Irwin J Lubbers, coach, will select the men to represent Hope from D. Yntema, Mallery, De Koning, Wesselink, Burggraff, Bruns, Cramer, Van Malson, Wabeke, C. Yntema, Ten Cate, Essenbaggers, Veldhuis, Mulder, Maat and Buitendorp.

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The Ottawa County Medical society held its regular monthly meeting and luncheon at the Warm Friend Tavern on Tuesday noon. A good representation of the membership was present, considering the weather and roads. An excellent luncheon was enjoyed, after which a paper on "Ruptured Corpora utea Hemorrhagica," was given by Dr. O. VanderVelde, with reports of cases. Following the paper there was the usual discussion of the subject, and transaction of business. Dr. J. A. Mabbs was voted an honorary life member of the society and the secretary was instructed to apply to the state medical society for the same honor for Dr. Mabbs.

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Elections were held in the three Holland banks Tuesday, in accordance with banking laws of the state. The following boards of directors were chosen, no change being made in the case of any one of the banks:

Holland City State Bank: W. H. Beach, James A. Brouwer, B. P. Donnelly, Frank Dyke, J. P. Kolla, John Kollen, O. P. Kramer, A. H. Landwehr, C. H. McBride, D. B. K. Van Raalte, Dick Boter.

First State Bank: G. J. Diekema, A. H. Meyer, Thos Marsilje, Henry Pelgrim, John Bosman, Con De Pree, E. D. Dimnent, D. Ten Cate, Wynand Wichers.

Peoples States Bank: B. D. Keppel, C M McLean, Frank Bolhuis, Raymond Visscher, A. C Keppel, Henry Winter, J G Rutgers, C J Lokker, Edgar Landwehr.

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The Whiting Owls recognized quite a number of Hope players who had stacked up against them before. These Indiana stars took their defeat hard and Holland will have to go some to win when the team plays at Whiting.

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Coach Cohrs is warning his men against over confidence. They gave Muskegon Heights an awful beating Friday night. The usual big crowd will go over to Grand Haven and ample seating room will be furnished.

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No progress has been made by Chief Hansen of Muskegon in obtaining the automobile owned by "Dutch" Anderson and later discovered at Toledo. Mr Hansen desired to obtain the car to help defray the expense. A gold watch carried by Anderson was stolen at Cincinnati.

The body of Anderson is still in a receiving vault at a Muskegon cemetery, but as soon as weather conditions are favorable it will be buried.

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The First Reformed church Sunday school class named "Semper Fidelis" held their annual class meeting at the home of Miss Hilda Kampen, 233 W. 19th St. Tuesday evening. A program of music and games, besides refreshments, had been arranged for. There was alos a short business meeting and the following officers were elected: president, Cornelia Kurz; vice-president, Adriana Was; treasurer, Effie Westenbroek; secretary, Gertrude Beltman; and assistant secretary and treasurer, Mildred Slagh.

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The executive board of the women's federation of church societies met Tuesday at the home of Mrs C V R Gilmore to make arrangements for the annual meeting. Mrs Gilmore was again unanimously elected to the presidency for another year and reports showed that the affairs of the organization are in very good condition.

The annual March meeting is to be held on the second Wednesday in March, the place to be announced later. Much interest was manifest at the meeting of the executive board in the work being done among the lepers in Inhambane, Africa, under the direction of Dr. Stauffacher. Opportunity will be given at the March meeting to bring gifts for the lepers housed in the new hospital at Inhambane that was named in honor of Mrs Gilmore.

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GRAND RAPIDS—Numbed by the cold as she ran over the snow for nearly two blocks clad only in thin underwear, Agnes Peterham, 14, was taken in charge by police early last night at the Eli Cross greenhouses at 1226 Union avenue, NE., where she had sought refuge, she said, to escape punishment at the hands of a guardian. The girl, her mother dead, and her father near death, told officers she had been placed in a private home by the officials of an orphanage and had been caring for the invalid daughter of the woman appointed as guardian. Between sobs the girl explained that she had been repeatedly punished by being placed in a tub of cold water and that late yesterday she was forced to undress and again submit to being given a cold bath, and she revolted,

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FIG BARS	Two pounds	25c
OLIVES	20 oz. Fancy Spanish Green Per Jar	35c
TOMATOES	Red Ripe. Solid Pack, No. 2 Tin 3 for	25c
RICE	Blue Rose 3 lbs. for	25c
PEACHES	America Home, heavy syrup. No. 2½ Tin	25c
QUAKER OATS	Large Family Size	23c
PEAS	Early June No. 2 can	2 FOR 25c
RAISINS	Thompson Seedless 2 lbs.	19c
KARO SYRUP	blue label 1½ lb. can	2 for 18c
APRICOTS	Am. Home Brand, Choice. Large 2½ Tin	25c
PRESERVES	National Strawberry or Raspberry, 16 oz. Jar	30c
COOKIES	Sugar, made of the Purest Ingredients, per lb.	17c
MUSTARD	National Brand, 10 oz. Jar	10c
PICKLES	Banquet, Sweet Mixed, 10-oz. bottle	21c
PALMOLIVE SOAP	3 bars for	20c
COFFEE	Chicago Blend, Great Value Per Pound	38c
KETCHUP	Heinz's large bottle	28c
BREAD	Fresh from the National's own Bakery. Large 24-oz. loaf	10c
TEA	Fancy Basket Fired Japan 70c Grade Per Pound	60c
FLOUR	Hazel Brand 24½ lb. Sack	$1.29

Holland City News

Entered as second-class matter at the Postoffice at Holland, Mich., under the Act of Congress, March, 1897. Terms $1.50 per year with a discount of 50 to those paying in advance. Rates of Advertising made known upon application.

LOCALS

The Allegan board of supervisors authorized the purchase of a finger print camera for Sheriff Lugten.

Among 72 new students who enrolled in Western State Normal at the beginning of the winter term are John Tien and Berle Van Dyke of Holland.

Dr W M Tappan has left for Rochester, Minn., where he will take treatment in the Mayo clinic for thyroid trouble. His office in this city will be closed until the first of March.

Paul E Ward, district freight and passenger agent for the Michigan electric railway lines and Goodrich Transit company, is in Holland for ten days calling on freight customers.

There was an oversupply of Christmas trees on the Yuletide market, conservation officers report from Lansing. Consequently, they observe, thousands of trees were utterly wasted.

The Allegan county road commissioners plan on building 24½ miles of new county road during the coming year, the largest program ever inaugurated in the county.

John Vander Woude, who spent two weeks with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ed Vander Woude, 47 West 12th street, has returned to Fort Wayne to resume his work with the National Life Saver company. Upon his return the young man from Holland was immediately promoted to the position of division manager and is in charge of the entire western Indiana territory, including the city of Indianapolis. Mr Vander Woude has made an exceptional climb with this company judging from repeated promotions during the past two years. He will make his headquarters in Fort Wayne.

The Grand Rapids Herald, in Sunday's issue, prints a cut of a dresser made by the West Michigan Furniture company of Holland, selected from what is called by the company the "Dutch Maid" suite. In part the dresser harks back to the style of a half century ago and contains large roomy drawers. Perched on top are two small drawers, placed on either side of the mirror and suitable for jewelry, knick-knacks, etc. There are still some of those old convenient bureaus in use in this city. Of course the "Dutch Maid," so popular many years ago, has all the modern embellishments to set it off.

Mrs. Hattie Cottle Died Saturday at her home in Saugatuck. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning at ten o'clock at the home. The body was taken to Chicago on the noon train for burial.

The Home club of Fennville on Wednesday feted Mrs. A. S. K. Burton at the home of Mrs. Louis Knox, 5 miles west of Fennville, the occasion being Mrs. Burton's 58th birthday anniversary.

Booty taken from the Brown garage at Nunica consisting of Miller inner tubes, was recovered from Leslie Wyn and Leroy Smith who were taken in Muskegon recently for a series of robberies. They have admitted the Nunica job.

Mrs. W. L. Smith, 827 Elliott-st., Grand Haven, sustained a fracture of her wrist Sunday noon when she slipped and fell on the ice at the corner of Columbus and Seventh street, while returning from church. Mrs. Smith is reported to be recovering from her injury as rapidly as could be expected.

The combined orchestra of Allegan, Plainwell and Hopkins high schools totaling 50 pieces, assisted by the Allegan high school chorus, will give a musical program at the high school auditorium Friday evening. Prof. John Tiefenthal of Allegan is the instructor of high school bands and orchestras in the schools and also directs the Fennville band and orchestra.

Van Stensel & Timmer, realtors of Grand Rapids have dissolved partnership, A. Van Stensel discontinuing real estate offices at 902 Grand Rapids Savings Bank building, the firm's former location. B. F. Timmer has opened real estate offices in the Home State Bank building. Mr. Timmer some 15 years ago was resident of Holland and has many relatives living here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Faasen, at Holland hospital, a boy James Charles, weighing nine pounds and 14 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Van den Berg, 147 West 13th street, Sunday morning, an eigth pound boy.

Fred L McOmber has been elected chairman of the Allegan county road commission with Wm. G Tisdale, clerk, and Glenn Cook, engineer and superintendent of maintenance. Merrill O. Peck will be assistant engineer.

While court was being started in the Ottawa county courthouse, the January session of the Ottawa county board of supervisors also started with the regular meeting Monday afternoon. Nothing of importance in the line of business was slated but the supervisors will look over the bills for the county and authorize payment on those passed.

Holland radio fans were privileged Sunday to listen to the exercises at Chicago Central church, where Dr Shannon is the pastor. The program for Sunday was for the commemoration celebrating the 50th anniversary of the organization of this church. Besides hearing Dr Shannon, five speeches made by two influencial business men were heard in this city. There was also a musical program.

Don't forget that the Masons are going to give one of those old-time dancing parties at the Masonic Temple on Friday evening of this week. They have secured the services of Jas. A. Drinkwater to do the calling at the dances, and all may rest assured that Mr. Drinkwater will fill the place with much pomp and glory, as he is one of the old time callers and knows how to handle this part of the program. Van Duren's string pickers and wind blowers will furnish the music, so all get set for the time of their lives on Friday night at the Masonic Temple's old time dancing party.

Henry Cook of Hamilton hit upon a new plan to recover his automobile stolen Friday evening. Mr. Cook asked the 12 rural letter carriers to watch for it while covering their routes. John Mills found the abandoned car with one wheel smashed, one tire removed and the gasoline tank empty.

Raymond Steketee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Steketee, has been promoted to the position of managing editor of The Maroon and Orange, the high schoo paper, to fill the place of Paul Dykstra, the present editor.

Mr. Maybee, instructor in high school, has become a song writer, his latest production is now being sung by the seniors of the local school. The song is entitled, "Stand up and cheer." It's full of class spirit, pep and rahs.

The art class at the high school has been very busy of late making clown dolls and lamp shades. The lamps have bronze bases, matching with the shades. The variation in shades collectively is very unique. This was brought about when every student chose to make a different shape of shade.

Mrs. A. W. Michener, Pennoyer avenue, Grand Haven, stated that she had noticed robins and bluejays near her home most of the winter. Residents in other sections of the city have also noticed the presence of "copper breasts" this winter. It is quite well established now that all robins and blue jays do not migrate during the cold weather months. During the time when the ground is covered with ice and snow, however humans can do much to protect bird life by regularly feeding them, an occasional supply of a bit of suet which food warms their bodies against the cold winds.

Uncle Sam gives the various states $73,000,000 for good roads. Michigan's share is $2,217,418.

There were 453 marriage licenses issued in Ottawa county at the office of the Ottawa county clerk, Orrie J. Sluiter, during the year 1925, according to figures releasted Saturday.

The Grand Haven building situation has been brisk during the year just past and the number of permits has run slightly ahead of 1924 which was considered an exceedingly good year. At the close of the year, 216 building permits had been issued at the office of the building commissioner as against 212 permits issued during 1924.

Wilbur Voss, an Ottawa county man living near Jenison, killed a snake of the blue racer variety, while he was hunting along the banks of a creek. This is unusual at this time of the year. The snake is five feet long.

Census bureau returns, just compiled, indicate the national wealth of the United States is increasing at the rate of about 3 per cent a year, and is approximately $350,000,000,000.

The Grand Haven Licensed Tugmen's Protective association has elected: President, Sam Kimball; vice president, Charles Richter; secretary-treasurer, Arthur Landaal; corresponding and financial secretary, Peter Boet.

Petitions for permission to spear fish in the lakes of Allegan county are being circulated throughout the county and will be presented to the state department of conservation. Similar movements are under way in every county in southern Michigan.

At least four important pieces of paving are on the schedule for 1926, according to Grand Haven officials. Columbus avenue and Franklin street to the eastern extremity of the two avenues will be paved west from Eighth.

A class meeting was held comprised of the members of The Daughters of the King, of Ninth Street Christian Reformed church. This large class was entertained by Mrs Ray Nykamp at her home, 38 W. 21st street, and one of the guests was Miss Tena Holkeboer, who recently returned from China where she served as a missionary for the Reformed church. Miss Holkeboer was the organizer of the class some years ago. A short program and refreshments were features of the evening. Among those who attended were: the Misses Tena Holkeboer, Anna Holkeboer, Jeanette Holkeboer, Angie Dogger, Minnie Kalming, Anna Straatsma, Bertha Vos, Hattie and Cora Slink, Wilma Beukema and Mrs Henry Topp, Mrs Andrew Rutgers, Mrs Arnold Branderhorst, Mrs P Kaashoek, Mrs C Vander Muelen and Mrs Ray Nykamp.

Harvey Barkel has accepted a position with the Misshawauka Rubber company, of Misshawauka, Ind., as salesman.

Fred Beeuwkes, Wm. Brower, C. J. Dornbos and Milo De Vries are in Chicago this week attending the furniture exhibit there.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lapish of Sault Ste Marie are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lapish and family.

A joint installation of the U. S W. V. and the ladies auxiliary will be held Friday night. Each member is urged to be present. Refreshments will be served.

Born to Mr and Mrs Lester Kramer, a girl.

Joe Kooiker is attending the jewelers convention at Chicago.

Mrs J. C. Brown, 9 E 7th street, who has been seriously ill, was able to sit up again today.

John Arendshorst, secretary of the Holland Fair, left Wednesday noon for Detroit where he will attend a convention of the Michigan Association of fairs.

A marriage license was issued in Kent county for Harry Jakeway, 22, Grand Rapids; Dorothy Vanden Heuvel, 18, Holland.

Dr. John H. Hospers, Hope graduate, has been awarded a prize of $50 from the Chicago Dental society for an essay on dental hygiene.

The Peoples State bank again announced Wednesday that there are many auto license plates at the bank which have been ordered some time ago and which the owners may have by calling for them.

The junior choir of the Sixth Reformed church, consisting of 15 little girls, will furnish the music next Sunday evening at this church. This junior choir has been making marked progress for the past six months and they sing very sweetly.

Kenneth L. Walker, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker, died Tuesday at his home at 268 West 11th St. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Dykstra's Funeral Home, Miss Nellie Churchford officiating.

A. H. Landwehr of Holland was scheduled to speak at a dinner meeting of the Grand Rapids Executives club in the Association of Commerce cafe Wednesday noon on "The Business Outlook." Dr. W. S. Ferguson, president of the club, will preside.

D. L. Jones, arrested by Holland police for the alleged forging of a check for $75 at the Hotel Kraker, was brought to the county jail today. The man is 75 years of age and officers say, admitted serving time previously. He claims he did not do the Holland job and is preparing to fight his case through an attorney from his home city, Minneapolis, Minnesota. — Grand Haven Tribune.

The automobile license weight tax yielded $13,356,466 and the gasoline tax netted approximately $8,000,000 for Michigan in 1925, according to a report completed today by Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state. The total, about $21,356,466, compares with a revenue in 1924 from automobile licenses of $12,404,545. In 1924, however, the license fees were supplemented with a nearly $10,000,000 residue of the $50,000,000 highway bond issue.

Carl T Bowen, Ottawa county engineer attached to the road commission, has returned to his position following a trip to California which started about Nov. 10, 1925. Mrs. Bowen remained in California with the children who are going to school there. Mr Bowen was in poor health when he left but reported full of life Monday as a result of his outing. Mr Bowen was formerly Holland's city engineer.

Evert Taylor, of Muskegon, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Corneil Dornbos when he wa scaught speeding, going 35 miles an hour on 17th street. When the driver had reached River ave., he made oo short a turn, skidded and smashed into another car, jumped the curb and came to a stop in the yard of a dwelling house nearby. Taylor was taken before Justice W. Brusse by the local deputy where he received a heavy fine.

SPORT NOTES

After smoldering for a long time, the Holland Furnace aggregation finally broke through and played a wonderful game, defeating the great Whiting Owl team from Whiting, Ind. Like a new furnace which starts rather slowly but soon sends forth a vast amount of heat, so the Drew quintet has gone, and Monday night they made it so hot for the visiting five that the players went home just about exhausted, he score being 52-25.

Friday night Hinga's five lost a game to South high of Grand Rapids by a 14-9 score, Saturday night the local tossers went to Kazoo and were defeated 14-10.

Grand Haven is next. Here is the dope. Holland beat St. Joseph 19-15, Grand Haven beat the same team 16-10. South bested Holland 14-9, Grand Haven beat South 29-18. The Cohrs outfit right now looks the best as they have wonderful scoring power in Sluka. Sluka and his teammate forward ran up a big score against Muskegon Heights Friday night.

One thing is certain, the local team is well coached and very capable but they will have to come to their form Friday night or a disaster will be the result. Breen and Japinga are small but fast and good scorers. Nettinga will also be back, it is expected so Cook and Van Lente can guard. Unless the local team realizes the opposition they are going against they are going to get swamped. Unless they want to disappoint a big crowd of followers the Hinga tossers had better get down to business and play the caliber of basketball this city is noted for.

One red hot game was waged Thursday night in the armory when the two Holland Furnace teams met in battle array. When the smoke of the conflict had cleared away it was found that the Grand Rapids five was just 5 points better than Holland's representatives. Fans often speak of basketball players being hot in their attempts at the basket but hot does not describe the condition of the Furniture City team in Thursday's struggle.

Hope lost to Manchester Friday night by a 37-28 score, but the Schouten coached five put up a great battle against a champion team. Considering the class of the visitors who have yet to lose a game this season, Hope sure made a great stand and had they had their usual luck in shooting baskets the score would have been vastly different.

COMPLETE LIST GIVEN OF THE MISSION DONORS

Although a few of the donors in the mission building fund drive have been listed in earlier reports, a complete list is printd today to bring it up to date, including those that have already been listed and those not yet mentioned. As the campaign continues during January, the additional names and amounts will be printed from time to time. Here is the list up to date:

Con De Pree $500; G J Diekema $500; Dick Boter $100; Mrs Otto Van Til $5; Mrs Kaslander $10; Peter De Spelder $10; Henry Van der Warf $20; Isaac Kouw $100; Thad Taft $100; H P Zwemer $100; Martin Bol $5; E C Brooks $100; J P Huyser $100; Charles Kirchen $100; H W Hardie $25; C M McLean $500; De Pree Hardware $100; E G Landwehr $500; Peter Van Ark $25; Third Reformed church Sunday school $200; Theo Kuiper $100; Wm Kobes $10; Jennie Koppenaal $5; Wm Bronkhorst $25; Lena M De Pree $25; Ray Visscher $200; John Bosman $100; D J DuSaar $100; E H Sulkers $50; J H Heitbrink $1; Henry Winter $100; Henry Pelgrim $100; George Pelgrim $25; John Vandersluis $100; Peter Ver Schure $5; J W Visscher $10; Jack Marcus $5; Mrs Frances E Browning $100; Ford D Johnson $25; G Van Schelven $25; A Nauta $25; Mrs P Vinkemulder $10; Mr and Mrs Wm Wagner $50; Frank Dyke $100; Mary G Dekker $5; Mrs G H Dubbink $5; Arthur W. Wrieders $50; City Sign Co. $10; Frank Nash $5; C. P. Dame $10; Jacob De Pree $50; B J De Vries $50; Charles H McBride $75; Henry Naberhuis $5; W J Olive $50.

The American Legion Auxiliary of Marshall, Michigan, held a public installation of officers for 1926 Thursday evening, January 7th, in the auditorium of the public library in Marshall.

The installing officer was Mrs. G. Pelgrim, of Holland, president of the 5th district. A dinner for Mrs. Pelgrim was given at Pine Tree Inn, by Mrs. Sawyer, past-president of the Marshall Auxiliary, After the installation services, the retiring president, Mrs. Fred Smith, was presented with roses in appreciation of her services to the Auxiliary and the installing officer was presented with a corsage bouquet by the Auxiliary.

Other organizations in attendance at the exercises were the D. A. R., the W. R. C., and the American Auxiliary. Representatives of each of these organizations addressed the meeting following the installation, all commending the Auxiliary for the splendid work it is doing and for the impressiveness of its installation service.

Mrs. E. Dressel of the Marshall American Legion, who sinbs over the radio from the Book-Cadillac hotel, Detroit, rendered vocal selections appropriate to the occasion and an address by Mrs. Pelgrim on "The Great Gains of the Great War," concluded the program.

Mrs. Pelgrim was entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Smith, president of the second district of Michiban, in which district Marshall is located.

One of the very popular features at the recent Holland poultry exhibition was the international roller canary show held at the new Holland armory. There was some delay in compiling the list of the winners but this has now been done. The birds were judged by one of the most competent judges of the association, Mr. Frank Zager of Chicago.

Those who were awarded prizes were: first, Mrs. J. E. Erickson; second, Mrs. J. Steketee; third, Mr. H. De Voogdt of Kalamazoo; fourth, Mrs. G. De Boer; fifth, Bessie Rockwell; 6th, Esther Olin. The prizes were donated by the merchants of Holland, with the exception of the silver cup donated by Mr. Ed Brower, secretary of the association.

Mr. H. De Voogdt was awarded the cup, having a collection of four of the best birds at the show.

The management states that Mr. Zager may again be the judge next year if he can be secured. Mr. Zager is reputed to be the most able judge on birds in the country and judges the New York show each year.

The detailed plan for distribution in prizes of the $1,000 appropriated by the board of supervisors of Kent county for the 1926 West Michigan State fair will be submitted to the board Wednesday by its committee on conservation.

Of the total appropriation, $325 will be used for prizes in a spelling contest between pupils of the rural schools. The township champions will meet at the fair for first, second and third prizes of $50, $25 and $10, respectively. Each of the 24 township champions will receive $10.

For prizes in a spelling contest between the sixth, seventh and eighth grad pupils of the city schools, $375 will be used. This contest will be conducted at the fair grounds, the number of pupils to be entered and the division of the prize money to be left to the discretion of Charles D. Dawson, assistant superintendent of schools.

One hundred fifty dollars will be awarded to county champions in calf club, calf, heifer and production projects and to the sewing club and canning clubs. The champions will go to Chicago in December to attend the National Boys' and Girls' club congress.

Other prizes are $10 for first, $7 for second and $4 for third. Prize winners in each of the following: best club exhibits in the county; best judging team; best club exhibit; best club canning demonstration team; best club judging team; best calf club judging team, and best individual judge in calf clubs.

LAUDS FRANKLIN IN ADDRESS MONDAY NIGHT

The members and friends of the Lincoln P-T club listened to a most interesting and instructive program Monday evening. The ever-willing and obliging Colonial orcestra favored the club with a number of selections thruout the evening. A reading, "Jim Fenton's Wedding," was most characteristically rendered by Dorothy White. In a very real manner she impersonated each character, causing the audience to live thru the actual experience. The Misses Blake and Fairbanks pleasingly and artistically rendered two piano duets and Evelyn Rozeen very highly pleased the club with two piano solos.

Prof. P. E. Hinkamp, a former member of the lincoln club, was the speaker of the evening. He spoke on the subject, "America as a Nation and Benjamin Franklin." Mr. Hinkamp pointed out that this will be the 150th year since the signing of the Declaration of Independence, and that no nation has progressed so rapidly in the same length of time. With these and similar thoughts he linked Franklin, giving a little of his early history, but more especially his achievements in behalf of the country he loved. He pointed out that England looked upon Franklin and Lincoln as the two outstanding Americans, whereas we, for the most part, make little of Franklin. He attributed this to the fact that England understood Franklin better than we.

An announcement was made during the course of the evening of the operetta that will be staged by the girls of the high school, on January 28. Also a few of the characters gave brief presentations.. The purpose of the operetta will be to raise funds for the decoration of the alcove of Junior High.

Board of Education

Holland, Michigan, Dec. 15, '25

The board of Education met in regular session and was called to order by the president.

Members all present except Trustee Vander Hil.

Trustee Miles opened with prayer.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

The P. T. Club of Van Raalte petitioned the Board for a piano.

Moved by Trustee Geerlings supported by Trustee Brouwer that the board purchase the piano and the club pay one half of the amount. Carried all members voting aye.

The committee on Teachers recommended Miss Irene Baughan be employed to give instruction to the Mahl cripled child at her home five hours per week her compensation to be five dollars per week; also that Mr. John Van Vyven be employed at $25 per month to instruct a High school band. This amount to cover one practice each week, also all occasions when the band is called upon to play.

Moved by Trustee Mool supported by Trustee Miles that the report be adopted. Carried all the members voting aye.

The committee on schools recommended that the board request the common council to provide a traffic officer for the corner of River avenue and 12th street, also one for Central Avenue and 10th street at the time when the children are crossing those streets on their way from school, at noon and also on their way to school afternoons; also that arrangements be made with High school boys to direct the children at 15th and 16th and 12th and River avenue at the time school closes at noon and also at the time children are coming to school afternoons.

Moved by Trustee Mool supported by Trustee Beeuwkes that the report be adopted.

Carried.

The committee on Claims and Accounts reported favorably on the following accounts.

Office supplies	$ 22.44
Telephone	36.77
Teachers' Salary	13,133.96
Text oBoks	116.69
Manual Training	107.96
Domestic Science	64.01
Health	22.06
School Supplies	236.35
School Equipment	31.00
Printing	182.18
Piano rental	3.00
Library	139.38
Liability insurance	130.45
Fuel	20.50
Other operating Exp.	56.83
ight, power, supplies	274.12
Liability insurance	102.06
Insurance	12.00
Repairs	142.39
Interest	2,960.00
Bonds	1,000.00

Moved by Trustee Beeuwkes supported by Trustee Mool that the report be adopted and orders drawn for the several amounts.

Carried, all members voting aye.

Moved by Trustee Beeuwkes supported by Trustee Wichers that the district advance the money necessary for the purchase of instruments the amounts to be repaid by entertainments. Carried all members voting aye.

Moved by Trustee Miles supported by Trustee Beeuwkes that the superintendent and principal of the high school be authorized to prepare the necessary rules and regulations for the band.

Carried, all members voting aye.

Moved by Trustee Wichers supported by Trustee Mool that Mr. Fell and Mr. Riemersma be delegated to attend the National Convention at Washington in February.

Carried.

Moved by Trustee Geerlings supported by Trustee Brouwer, that Trustee Vander Hill represent the Board at Washington.

Carried

Moved by Trustee Mool supported by Trustee Geerlings that the City League be allowed to use the high school gymnasium on Saturday nights for ten weeks at $20 per night.

Carried.

Board adjourned.

Henry Geerlings,
Secretary.

Hurry Hurry! The Time is Short!



As we have repeatedly said a Christmas Club account at the First State Bank brings joy and happiness to Club members. Father, mother, sister and brother all participate in these joys.



The First State Bank has enrolled more members to its 1926 Savings Club than in any previous year during the past ten years that these plans were put in operation at this bank. Joining the Club is still seasonable even at this late date.

Come and join the rest of the First State Bank Christmas family.

Join Our 1926 Christmas Savings Club NOW!

A spot cash Christmas saves you starting the New Year under a heavy burden of debt. It's so much easier to save for months ahead than it is to pay for months after.

Savings Club now open for 1926

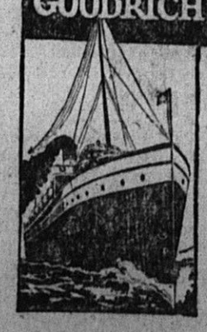
Join that class most convenient for your needs. Here you have the different Classes available:

CLASS 5	Members paying 5 cents the first week, 10 cents the second week, and increasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive	$ 63 75
CLASS 5 A.	Members paying $2 50 the first week, $2.45 the second week, and decreasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive	63 75
CLASS 10.	Members paying 10 cents the first week, 20 cents the second week, and increasing 10 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive	127 50
CLASS 10 A.	Members paying $5.00 the first week, $4.90 the second week, and decreasing 10 cents each week for fifty weeks will receive	127 50
CLASS 25.	Members paying 25 cents a week for fifty weeks will receive	12 50
CLASS 50.	Members paying 50 cents a week for fifty weeks will receive	25 00
CLASS 100	Members paying $1.00 a week for fifty weeks will receive	50 00
CLASS 200	Members paying $2.00 a week for fifty weeks will receive	100 00
Class 500	Members paying $5.00 a week for fifty weeks will receive	250.00
CLASS 1000	Members paying $10.00 a week for fifty weeks will receive	500 00
CLASS 2000	Members paying $20.00 a week for fifty weeks will receive	1000 00

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MOST SEVERE LOCAL STORM WAS IN 1918

Tuesday it was 8 years ago that Holland and the state of Michigan were visited by the most severe snow storm that even the oldest inhabitants could remember. The blast struck suddenly shortly after midnight on a Saturday morning and continued unabated until Monday noon, when the wind just as suddenly died down, and by Monday night quiet again prevailed.

All during this time the wind was blowing a hurricane and the snow came down in clouds so thick that it was possible to see ahead only a few yards' distance.

When Saturday morning came all traffic was blocked, not an automobile was on the street, the old Holland interurban that never fails did fail that morning. No papers or letters from the outside came to Holland until Tuesday morning, and the Sunday papers also were conspicuous for their absence.

Not a farmer came to town for a week and on that stormy Saturday the merchants of Holland were not afraid that holdup men would relieve them of the contents of their tills, as scarcely a dollar was taken in.

Holland was buried in a pack of snow four feet deep, and what was worse, the largest factories in Holland were compelled to shut down for lack of coal, for it must be remembered that this was at a period when the war conservation of coal regulations were on and coal was parcelled out in order that all might have some.

John Vander Sluis was mayor at that time and on Saturday morning he quickly called the members of the common council together. These men formed plans for ways and means to dig Holland out of its snow bed. The men who were forced out of employment at the different factories because of lack of coal were called together by Mr Vandersluis and were asked if they were willing to shovel Holland out. All readily complied, bringing shovels and picks, and a regular picnic they had of it.

Headed by mayor Vandersluis, they marched to River avenue and Eighth street under the tower clock and began their operations in different directions from that point.

After three days of steady work the main thoroughfares in and around the heart of the city were scooped out. In a special message the mayor made an appeal to all property owners to get busy with the shovel in front and about their homes and thus aid in getting the city clean of snow and bringing it back to normal conditions.

After the men from the shops had finished their task, another job was in store for them. From the street they were compelled to go on the roofs of buildings in the down town district, as well as in the residence district, for shortly after the storm had ceased the January thaw set in and the heaps of snow turned into ice that backed water under shingles and that damaged the interior of many homes. That spring there was more than the usual activity in wall paper stores and among the painters and decorators. The thaw continued and within ten days the large heaps of snow had disappeared entirely. The ground was bare and aside from a few snow furries there was no more snow the rest of the winter.

It will be remembered that shortly after the storm the highest pile of snow ever seen in Holland could be found in Centennial Park. All the snow of that storm deposited on River avenue and 8th street was hauled by scores of teams into the park, this being the most convenient place that the city engineer could think of at that time.

According to an article from the files, the storm cost the city of Holland more than $1,500, spent for wages paid out to the men from the factories who aided with the shovel and pick.

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Posters—literally hundreds of them and many of them real works of art—are this week gracing the walls of the corridors of the high school and the junior high school. These posters, made by the pupils, combine art and lessons in health. Many of them are beautiful to look at and all of them give important health lessons which show how strong a hold the public health idea has taken on the students in the two schools.

Some time ago the boys of the gym classes of the two schools made health posters which attracted much attention. But now it is the girls' turn and the present posters were made by the girls of the two schools who took gym work. There are over 300 posters in junior high school alone and there are also a large number in the corridors of the high school.

The posters show a wide variety in subject. The pupils were given a chance to show their originality and they were also given permission to secure the help of their parents. Many of the posters contain original drawings and some of them are painted. Others are made up from magazine pictures, arranged to illustrate health lessons. The pictures are accompanied by health slogans.

The posters are to be left in the corridors of the two schools for the balance of this week and a special invitation is extended to the public to come in and see them. There is no special time set for viewing the exhibit. Anytime anyone comes by the high school or junior high school he is invited to step in and examine the posters. In many ways the poster exhibit is as interesting as the beautiful art exhibit shown in junior high school some weeks ago. It is of a different nature but its chief interest lies in the fact that the work is by the pupils themselves.

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Miss Marjorie Stolts is ill with pneumonia at her home at 151 W. 14th-st.

HOLLAND MAIL CARRIER CELEBRATES DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY

Henry DeBoe, substitute letter carrier for nearly three years will have a double celebration this week.

He was advised Monday of his appointment as regular carrier, beginning Saturday, which is his birthday anniversary.

The number of city carriers has reached 12, three times the number when free delivery service was inaugurated in 1897. The postal receipts in that time have increased from $10,000 to approximately $108,000.

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HOPE CHURCH SHOWS GROWTH

The largest number that have ever joined Hope church at any one time presented themselves on Sunday morning when very impressive services were held and a body of 58 persons gathered about the pulpit when Dr. Davidson charged then with their duties as new members of that congregation.

After these services were over nearly 600 members celebrated communion, the largest number to gather at any one time to partake of the sacrament.

Of the 58 members 30 joined thru confession of faith and 28 thru letters of transfer from churches in Holland and abroad. Among the members eight states were represented: Michigan, New York, Kentucky, Colorado, Nebraska, Massachusetts, Minnesota, and New Jersey.

One communicant came from the province of New Brunswick, Canada. In the number of 58 there are six denominations represented, Methodist, Episcopalians, Congregationalists, Baptists, Reformed and Mennonites.

Mr. Davidson has been a most active pastor, for not alone has he visited practically every member of his church and held short services with their respective families, but on many he has called more than one time. Dr Davidson has made more than 300 family calls since his arrival here last September.

He has gone outside of his church to visit folks who were in want and who asked for his advice and guidance. He has taken a very active part in church social work, organizing C. E. societies, has fostered boy scout work in the church and has done a great many other things not directly connected with his pastoral duties.

In many of these activities he was materially aided by Mrs. Davidson. No sooner had Dr. Davidson come to Holland to make his home here when he immediately became active in civic work, being invited to speak at nearly every public function that had been planned. The popularity of Mr. Davidson's Sunday sermons is evidenced by the large number who fill Hope church from Sunday to Sunday.

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In view of the fact that tuberculosis is Holland's greatest problem in the line of major diseases, the first chest clinic of the year, held Thursday afternoon in the W. L. C. hall, is of unusual interest. It illustrates, according to health officials what can be done to curb tuberculosis if the right methods are employed. The free chest clinics constitute only a drop in the bucket in tuberculosis prevention, involving the expenditure of only a few hundred dollars a year, yet that drop of effort is saving lives, health workers assert.

The clinics have been held on alternate months for a year now and Thursday afternoon some opportunity was given to estimate what has been accomplished during that time, at least in part. Eleven of the 20 patients examined by Dr. Wm. Vis of Grand Rapids, tuberculosis clinitian, were listed as "return patients." That means that they have been coming to the clinics from month to month during the year for observation. And of these eleven five were given such encouraging reports of their progress that complete recovery seems only a matter of time. The other six have been under observation for a smaller period and there is no reason to suppose that eventually they will not receive the same encouraging report.

That means, according to the health workers, that the five given encouragement Thursday are five cases of death from tuberculosis prevented. That alone would more than justify the expenditure for the free clinics, and if the county should build a sanatorium many more cases of death from tuberculosis would be prevented.

There were nine new patients at the clinic Thursday. Of these 3 were pronounced negative, and in the case of six the trouble was traced to probable other conditions—three to goiter, one to heart lesion, one to bad teeth and one to diseased tonsils. Goiter that gives the effect of tuberculosis is still prevalent here and the need for goitre prevention is still quite great, the clinic officials declare.

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Jacob Van Zanten of the Grand Haven post office has received a temporary transfer to the U. S. postoffice at Miami, Fla., for several months. Mr. Van Zanten has already started for Florida in company with Herbert Begin, who is driving a car through for Mrs. T. Johnston of Grand Haven. Conditions are so congested in the Florida postoffices that the department has called for extra clerks from northern offices who wish to spend the winter in the south. They are provided with quarters and receive the same grade salary as in their home office.

AUDIT OF LEGION FUNDS IS REQUESTED

The comments made by Earnest Brooks and others in a number of western Michigan newspapers in regard to the alleged domination of the Michigan organization of the American Legion by one man seem to have got under the skin of the Mark T McKee group of the Legion. In a very long mimeographed article to the newspapers of the state the criticisms are referred to in considerable detail.

Over the article appears this note to the editors: "Please use this story in the interest of the American Legion, the big service man's organization of the United States. Maybe the individual members of the legion have made mistakes, but the legion as a whole has nothing to cover up, and it is larger than any individual or group of individuals. The legion asks only honest, fair and loyal treatment, and not praise for what it has accomplished for the former service men of Michigan, in whose interest it has always labored."

Referring to the criticisms, the article says: "A few newspapers in Michigan have recently attacked this big veteran organization because one committee handled the welfare money, and a former state adjutant failed to file a report of the money spent from a fund, the custody of which was given the legion by the Michigan state legislature, with the secretary of state until Nov. 20 last. This committee through its accredited representative did report the money spent and what was accomplished with this money at every state convention of the legion, and the accounts were audited by a firm of accredited certified public accountants of international repute, at least twice every year. Notwithstanding all this was done, certain individuals have seen fit to stretch their imagination and the facts to make it appear to the public at large that the legion has been a tool in the hands of one or two individuals for political or other purposes to the detriment of the so-called welfare fund."

The welfare committee of the Legion, of which Mark T McKee is a member, has now asked, according to the story sent the newspapers, for an audit of the money spent, the audit to be made by the firm of Price, Waterhouse & Co., who are said to have made the earlier audits, the members of the committee to bear the expense.

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The Business and Professional Women's Club of Grand Haven were entertained at a banquet at the Presbyterian church at Grand Haven Tuesday evening. The club had been asked to set aside one meeting for a Michigan program, and the club chose their first meeting of the New Year for this day.

The banquet tables were artistically decorated in soft shades of yellow, tall tinted tapers in crystals, and other novelties. Hon. Gerrit J. Diekema, of Holland, was the speaker of the evening, and chose for his subject, "Michigan," which was interesting and instructive.

Mrs. Diekema was also a guest of the club.

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Approximately 1,250 acres of Lake Michigan frontage, between Grand Haven and Holland will be subdivided and marketed by a corporation which is being organized by Fred Z Pantlind, Joseph H Brewer, William Bertles, W H Snow, Durton A Howe, Arthur Johnson, Henry Adzit, Earl Eiffert and several others. The property extends from Lake Michigan to M-11, the total investment being over $150,000.

Fred Pantlind has taken a live interest in Holland, being a stock holder in Warm Friend avern and he had a great deal to do with the entertaining when the place was opened and dedicated. He also did much towards getting a state park for Holland at Ottawa Beach, donating a $7,000 bathhouse and a right of way to the new park.

Joseph Brewer, also in this real estate deal, was the former owner of the Holland Gas company.

Some of these men are also interested in a resort deal near Ludington, where a 100 acre tract with a large frontage on Lake Michigan, has been purchased for $40,000. Part of this property is located at Pere Marquette lake and contains the beautiful Butters' grove, with native maple, beech, cedar and some pine, the heart of Buttersville, just across Pere Marquette lake from Ludington.

This company has also purchased the Walter Butters farm of 35 acres and the Prevost farm of 84 acres and 26 acres from H B Shinn of Chicago, all adjoining the M. F. Butters tract.

Determination of the future of the properties will be made at a meeting of the stockholders. Mr Keiser is president and Mr. Spencer, secretary-treasurer.

"The purchase of large holdings of real estate by substantial business men, widely scattered, indicates their faith in Ludington's growth and development," said Mr Keiser. "Our resorters are of the most desirable class, and their social standings tends to bring to Ludington people of wealth and refinement."

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Con De Pree and son Herold are making an extended business trip thru the west for the De Pree company. They are visiting Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Oregon, and many other cities.

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J. A. Hoover and R. A. Howlett left Monday night for Pittsburgh, Pa, where they will attend a week's convention of the H. J. Heinz Co. officials.

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Attorney Charles McBride, Otto P. Kramer, Henry Winter, Wynand Wichers and Ernest Brooks returned from a business trip thru the state of Iowa.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Llovense at Holland hospital, a boy.

FIRE DRIVES WEST OLIVE COUPLE FROM HOUSE

Awakened by the cracking burning timbers and dense smoke that filled the rooms, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sjoerdsema fled from their home at OliveCenter, which was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning.

All the furniture was lost and only a few articles of clothing were saved.

Origin of the fire is undetermined. The house was next to the town hall, which was saved by the direction of the wind.

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DAMAGE SUIT IS DELAYED BY LACK OF PLEAS

The $10,000 damage suit for slander brought by Prosecuting Attorney Fred T. Miles against Lieut. Gov. George Welsh will not be ready until the March term of court, as no pleas have been filed which was expected with the opening of court Monday.

The case had its inception in articles published in the Grand Rapids Chronicle in connection with the Stephan-Fortney-Miles controversy after Judge Reid had given Miles a clean bill in his work as prosecutor.

The suit was started there following an evening meeting of the Community club at which Lieut. Gov. Welsh was a speaker. Service was made on the lieutenant governor immediately after the close of the meeting.

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It is stated that Lieut.-Gov. Geo. Welsh has settled a damage suit brought by the Grand Rapids chief of police, A. A. Carroll,, who charged him with slander.

Suit was brought against Mr. Welsh and Welsh Publishing Co. and J. Evans Smith , whom he charged with libel, was filed with County Clerk Wagner late Thursday afternoon.

The stipulation was over the signature of the law firm of Ward & Strawbecker, counsel for Supt. Carroll; Atty. Joseph R. Gilliard for the Welsh Pub. Co.,, Atty. R. F. Glocheski for Smith and Atty. J. J. Mc Kenna for Lieut. Gov. Welsh.

The stipulation merely recited that the action has been "amicably settled and adjusted between the parties" and provided that "the cause may be dismissed and is hereby dismissed without costs to either party."

In the slander suit brought by Prosecutor F. T. Miles of Holland, it is expected that something will take place in the courts within the next ten days.

Mr. Miles states that he was not after the lieutenant-governor's money but demanded a retraction of the statements that appeared in the lieutenant-governor's paper in Grand Rapids some time after the Stephan-Miles-Fortney flare-up more than a year ago. Mr. Miles states that these articles appeared in the Grand Rapids Chronicle after Judge Reid had handed down his decision exonoratcing Mr. Miles of any wrong doing, and as Mr. Miles has repeatedly demanded a retraction and this retraction was not forthcoming he will endeavor to bring this about thru the $10,000 damage suit filed.

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Harold Smith, 23, of Watson township, Allegan, is in jail in Allegan charged with forging checks, one of which was cashed by Deputy Sheriff John Vanarkle of Otsego. The latter caused the arrest. Two other checks were on Traverse City banks.

Smith will have a hearing next week. It is reported Smith recently was paroled from Ionia reformatory.

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Ottawa lodge, F. & A. M., the oldest lodge in Ottawa and Muskegon counties, will celebrate its 66th anniversary Wednesday evening, Jan. 13, with a dinner and program.

The principal feature will be an illustrated Masonic lecture on "Military Patriots of the American Revolution," Several musical numbers and short talks will be included in the program. The lodge was chartered Jan. 13, 1860, and is the mother of the Grand Haven, Spring ake and Marne lodges. It helped form Unity lodge of Ottawa county and Muskegon lodge of Muskegon county. The first lodge meeting was called to order in the loft of the Eastmanville hotel barn which was torn down a few years ago. The officers were W. M., J. M. Kelley; S. W., T. Eastman; J. W., J. W. Denton; secretary, J. G. Colgrave; treasurer, Alexander Wilson.

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The manufacturing furniture men of this nation have a large organization that works out the plans for all exhibitions held at Grand Rapids, sets the dates for this large trade show, dictates the selling plans and advises the policies of furniture marketing generally.

The men selected for this trade organization are the biggest manufacturers of the nation. Charles Kirchen as well as Holland was honored when the manager of the West Michigan Furniture company of this city was named as one of the members of this board for 1926.

These men have a great deal of responsibility in perfecting workable plans that will not prove a hardship to manufacturers or to purchasers of their wares, and at the same time bring about feasible marketing conditions.

C. B. Hamilton of Grand Rapids was named secretary and manager.

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Miss Anna Vander Bie has returned to M. S. D., Flint, Mich., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Vander Bie.

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Sears McLean of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company is in Detroit on business.

Gives Warning About Air Holes Near Chippewa

Peter Lievense states that the people should be warned about two large air holes in the vicinity of Chippewa dock in the big bayou caused by currents made thru the recent thaw. Mr Lievense succeeded in saving one young chap from running into these holes, and since these dangerous places are not far from the fish shanty village, it is well that fishermen and others be made aware of this danger.

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"God's Standard of Life for Man in His Scheme of Redemption" has been the subject stressed the past two days by Evangelist J E Hewson at the evangelistic meetings now being held at the Wesleyan Methodist church. Strong and forceful Bible truth is being presented at each service. Good interest and attendance are continuing to add inspiration to the services. Services are being held each evening at 7:30.

Exp. Jan. 23—10463

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Ottawa.

At a session said Court held at the Probate Office in the city of Grand Haven in said county, on the 6th day of January A. D. 1926.

Present. Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of

Thomas C. Thompson, Deceased

Carrie L. Thompson having filed in said court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to Luke Lugers or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the **15th day of March A. D. 1926** at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It Is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy:—
Cora Vande Water,
Register of Probate.

Exp. Jan. 9—10643

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the county of Ottawa.

At a session of said Court held at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven in said county on the 19th day of December A. D. 1925.

Present: Hon. James J. Danhof, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

Thomas C. Thompson, Deceased

Carrie J. L. Thompson having filed in said court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased now on file in said court be admitted to probate and that he administration of said estate be granted to Luke Lugers of Holland, Michigan, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the **1st day of February A. D. 1926** at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Holland City News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy:— Judge of Probate
Cora Vande Water,
Register of Probate.

Exp. March 1

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Marinus Komejan and Jennie Komejan his wife, and Christian Komejan, a single man, to Henry Coelingh, dated October 30, 1920, A. D., and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ottawa county, Michigan on November 4, 1920, A. D. in liber 103 of mortgages on page 59, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of forty Thousand Six Hundred Sevent ($4670.00) Dollars, and an attorney fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Notice is hereby given, that by by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on Monday, the 8th day of March, 1926 A. D. at nine o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Grand Haven, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid claimed to be due on said mortgage with five per cent interest and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee to-wit:- The South One-Half (S½) of the Northwest fractional one-quarter (N. W. Fr. ¼) of Section No. Seven (7) in Township No. Six (6), North of Range Fourteen (14) West, all located in the Township of Blendon, county of Ottawa, State of Michigan.

HENRY COELINGH,
Lokker & DenHerder. Mortgagee.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
Holland, Michigan.

Exp. Jan. 30

MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the twelfth day of March, 1917, executed by George Brinks and Susie Brinks, his wife, to Gerrit Van Koevering and Elizabeth Van Koevering, his wife, with ownership in the survivor, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Ottawa in liber 112 of mortgages at page 108 on the second day of April, 1917;

AND WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of Nine Thousand Two Hundred Four and 16-100 Dollars ($9204.16) on principle and interest and the further sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) as attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage in addition to their legal costs, and the whole amount claimed to be dut on said mortgage including said attorney fee is the sum of Nine Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-nine and 16-100 Dollars ($9229.16. and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now re- or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed b a sale of the premises described therein by public auction to the highest bidder at the north front door of the court house in the city of Grand Haven in the county of Ottawa on the 8th day of February, 1926, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day; which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

"A parcel of land situated in the Township of Zeeland in the county of Ottawa and state of Michigan and described as the northeast quarter of the northeast (14) and the northwest quarter of Section Fourteen quarter of the northwest quarter of Section Thirteen (13) and the north half of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section Fourteen (14), all in the Township Five (5) north of range fourteen (14) west.

Dated this Fifth day of November, 1925.

GERRIT VAN KOEVERING,
ELIZABETH VAN KOEVERING,
Mortgagees

By:—
Fred T. Miles,
Attorney for Mortgagees.

No. 10615—Exp. Jan. 23

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the county of Ottawa.

In the matter of the estate of

Mildred Cummins, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 4th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the City of Grand Haven in said county on or before the 4th day of May A. D. 1926, and that said claims will be heard by said court on

Tuesday, the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Jan. 4, A. D. 1926.

JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

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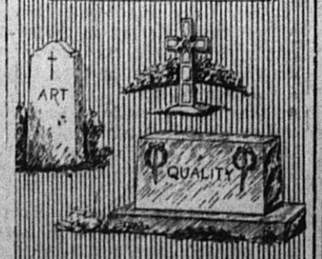
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Pork	14-15
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Eggs	.32
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Creamery Butter	.43
Chicken	15-18

LOCALS

Word has been received in Holland that twin daughters were born to Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Bilkert, Busrah, Arabia. Their names are Virginia Ruth and Barbara Anne. Mr. and Mrs. Bilkert are graduates of Hope college and are missionaries in the Reformed church.

Grace McCarroll is assisting Lester Kuyper in his work as publicity manager for the athletic association.—Hope College Anchor.

The 1925 report of the traffic bureau of the Muckegon police department shows that 3,562 cases were handled during the year compared with 3,212 during 1924. The bureau and the courts of Justice Robert R. Gale and Justice J. E. Turner, collected $29,832.75 during the year.

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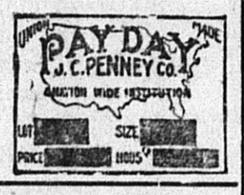


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DRENTHE

Miss Jean Nyenhuis spent a few days in Holland last week as the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs Wallace Vander Kolk.

Lois and Isla Mae Wyngarden of Vriesland spent the week end with their maternal grandparents, Mr and Mrs A K Lanning.

Miss Johanna Yntema is spending this week with relatives in Holland and Zeeland. During her absence, Louise De Kleine has charge of her duties at the telephone office.

Mr and Mrs Henry Brinks of Overisel were guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Ralph Van Dam last Thursday.

Miss Maggie Yntema of Holland spent several days with her aunt, Miss Johanna Yntema of this place.

Mr and Mrs Albert Brinks attended the family reunion held at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs Ralph Brinks of Forest Grove on New Years day.

NORTH HOLLAND

Mrs John Elfers, died at the home of her children Mr and Mrs Will Elfers, residing a short disance south from here, on last Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the age of 90 years, having been ill only a short time. The funeral services were held on Monday, afternoon at 12:30 at the home and 1 o'clock at the North Holland Reformed church, Rev. Arthur Maatman officiating.

The Goodyke and Palmbos Music Co., delivered a Story and Clark piano to our local high school on last Thursday. The organ which was recently purchased from that firm was taken back again in exchange.

Mr Will Bosman has again accepted the janitor work for the coming year.

The Ladies Missionary society meets at the chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'cock.

Mr and Mrs Joe Sjoedsema, residing four miles north from here in Olive Center, were awakened by the cracking of burning timbers and dense smoke that filled the rooms and were compelled to flee from their home, which was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. All the furniture was lost and only a few articles of clothing were saved. The origin of the fire is undetermined. The townhall which was next to the house was saved by the direction of the wind. Mr and Mrs Sjoedsema are yet undecided what they will do. They are at present staying with relatives and friends.

The catechism classes will meet again as usual this week, and teachers meeting will be held again on Friday evening.

The election of officers of the Adult Bible class was held Sunday, when Albert Stegenga was re-elected as president, and Abel J. Nienhuis as secretary and treasurer. The annual report was also given.

Many people from here attended a meeting held at the Olive Center hall on Friday. During the morning session a talk was given by County Agricultural agent C P Milham and after enjoying a dinner a program was very successfully given in which several people from here and near here took part.

The Loyal Workers society met at the chapel on last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting was led by the president Mrs Peter Douma. A reading was given by Sena Lievense and after business discussions and a social time the meeting adjourned at 4 o'clock.

Miss Angeline Vinkemulder of Crisp is employed in Grand Rapids.

The pupils of the primary room were dismissed at noon on Monday on account of the illness of their teacher, Miss Esther Kooyers.

Mrs Henry Smith has as yet not shown any signs of improvement, while the infant of Mr and Mrs John Van Wyk, seems to be some better.

On last Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Arthur Maatman and family were called to the church where the members of his congregation and their families met in the form of a surprise. A fine program was carried out. Mr Albert Stegenga was chairman for the evening, who also gave some opening remarks. Mr Peter Douma, Will Bosman, and J J Slagh, led by opening prayers, while Mr Bult, and Mr Knoll, gave interesting talks. Songs were sung by a quartette and also by the children of the Saturday Bible classes, and by the young people of the Thursday night class. Rev. Maatman was presented with a sum of money Jake Van Dyke, supt. of the Sunday school, making the presentation speech. The meeting was closed by the singing of psalm 134 the 3rd verse, after which dainty refreshments were served at the chapel. The evening was enjoyed by all.

NOORDELOOS NEWS

The people of the Noordeloos church were again disappointed to learn that Rev. Van Farowe had declined the call extended to him.

Rev. Cole of Holland occupied the pulpit last Sunday.

The executive committee of the Noordeloos Parent-Teachers' association held a meeting at the school house last Wednesday. It was decided to have our next P-T meeting the second week in February. The program committee picked out several good numbers for the next program. It is expected that Rev. Maatman of North Holland will be the speaker.

Our seventh and eighth grade pupils have started on the final run, studying hard for the spring examinations, realizing that "now is the time to start."

John Kemme made a business trip to Holland Saturday.

Ben Poest is at present shredding corn for Mr. Ed Bloemsma of Noordeloos.

The Noordeloos school teachers spent Saturday afternoon in Holland selecting some new books for the school library. About thirty-five new books are now added to the list. Most of these books are for children of the school age, but there are also some for the older folks of the district.

HAMILTON

Miss Janaet Kaper of Hamilton is staying with an aunt in Zeeland but continuing her studies in the Holland high school.

Miss Grace Ilg is rooming with her aunt, Mrs Grover Berkel of Holland, where she is attending high school.

A J Klomparens exhibited some of his white Plymouth Rock fowls at the show in Zeeland and won two more first prizes. It is said that when Albert and his Plymouth rooster strike the winning gait not even Jack Dempsey can stop the pair.

Mrs G H Rigterink fell on the steps of her home and was pretty sore and lame several days but is now able to attend to her regular round of duties.

Mr and Mrs E J Mosier entertained the former's sister, Mrs John Berkel of Holland, several days recently.

Miss Grace Brink, who is teaching a school in Monterey township, spent a two-weeks vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Brink.

The first week in January was observed by both of the local churches as a week of prayer.

Owing to the impassable condition of the roads last week the big celery trucks had to discontinue their daily trips to Chicago several days.

Mr and Mrs Charles Ackersook and family, who recently came to Hamilton from Curtis, a town in northern Wisconsin, have moved into the house in which Mrs Carrie Van Buuren resides.

The men's class of the American Reformed church held their monthly meeting recently in the church parlors. Notwithstanding unfavorable weather conditions, a large number of members were present. There was a fine programme an appetizing luncheon and a pleasant social hour.

The Hagelskamp Lumber company is placing several electric motors in their mill, each to operate a separate piece of machinery.

A number of homes on the north side are being connected with the electric current.

Miss Grace Rankens served as saleslady in the Nyehuis store. During the holiday season Miss Rankens served as clerk for her brother in the postoffice.

Wm Ten Brink has electrified his shop. He has one out of town customer, "Irish Bill", who dodges around every barber in Holland and drives to Hamilton to have "Dutch Bill" shave him with his new clippers; and William says that with these clippers he can do a much more satisfactory job of taking a customer's scalp-lock than Harvey Zeerip can with the wringer on his power washer.

The Eding garage will join with the other Ford agencies next week in the observance of the annual national display. Mr Eding will have a complete display of his line and Harvey Zeerip, the sales manager, announces that this will mark the formal opening of the new garage.

Mrs Ross and her two sons are occupying the house recently vacated by Mr and Mrs E J Mosier.

During the blockade of the highways with snow many Hamilton travelers made use of the passenger accommodations afforded by the old Pere Marquette, glad that the road is still in existence and able to help out in time of trouble.

Chester Voorhorst drove an automobile to Allegan, to take his sister Amy and Kathleen Kolvoord back to school. Had it not been for his two fair passengers to attract is attention, driving would have been even more difficult.

EAST CRISP

Sarah Nies and Delia Vande Luyster, teachers of the East Crisp school, are boarding at the Nienhuis' home for the winter months. Miss Maggie Johnson, teacher of the West Crisp school is also staying with the local teachers.

The Parent-Teachers club of the East Crisp school will again meet in the near future. The last meeting proved a success and the program committee is busy preparing to make this meeting even better than the last. Refreshments will also be served at the meeting. The program committee met at the home of Mrs Geo. Nienhuis on Wednesday, Jan. 13th.

ZEELAND

Mr Jacobus Kloosterman was most pleasantly surprised at his home on Harrison Ave., New Years day, the occasion being in honor of his sixty-fifth birthday. All the children and grandchildren were present. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in playing games and a fine social time was enjoyed by all. Mr Kloosterman received several useful gifts as tokens of love.

Donald, six-year-old son of Mr and Mrs Jacob Kamps, residing on West Cherry street, Monday evening, while playing with a toy horn, badly injured his throat when he fell to the floor, the horn cutting a gash near the palate. Drs Boone and Tappen operated to reduce the wound.

Enjoy a fine musical program. Hear the Betsy Ross Trio, Lecture Course, this evening, January 14, at the Zeeland high school.

Mrs Wm Pyle and baby of Hollandale, Minn., are visiting Mrs. Pyle's parents, Mr and Mrs Gerrit LaHuis on West Main street.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Van Duine and Lewis Bos, all of Grand Rapids, were guests at the homes of G. Kuiper and G. Van Tongeren for a few days last week.

Born, to Mr and Mrs Joe Nagelkerke, New Groningen, a daughter, Monday, Jan. 4th.

Mrs James Ver Lee who has been seriously ill with blood poisoning is improving.

Mr and Mrs A Tjepkema and family visited at the home of Bert Wabeke, New Years day. Mrs Wabeke, who was injured in the Tjepkema auto accident last summer, is slowly improving. She is again able to walk a little without any aid. But as a result of the accident she has lost the use of her right eye and her sense of smell.

Miss Margaret Moes, teacher of the primary department of the West Drenthe school, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Holland hospital, she is improving nicely.

DOUGLAS

Mr and Mrs Geo Morgan were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday.

Miss Mae Seamore returned Sunday from Hammond, Ind., where she has been spending the past three weeks with relatives.

Mrs Ida Bell Gleason of Macks Landing spent the week end with Mrs Robert Leamore.

Miss Velma Cargo of Bangor was the week end guest of Miss Beatrice Work.

Mr Ben Wiegert and Herbert Fisch were in Grand Rapids Saturday on business.

Mr Randall Corwin was a Grand Rapids visitor Sunday.

Mrs Ben James of Hot Springs, Ark., was in town a few days last week to get her automobile.

Mrs Earl Chapman has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr Roy Cobb and family of Holland were Sunday guests in the James Dempster home.

Mr John Schrieber from the West is spending the week with his parents Mr and Mrs Thor Schrieber.

Miss Lenore Spencer entertained the We-Tu Circle at her home Friday with a 1 o'clock luncheon. Pink roses and ferns did their bit to make the occasion one of the bright days in the history of the circle. All the members were present and enjoyed an afternoon of visit and sewing.

The Douglas chapter of the O. E. S. are invited to Fennville next Tuesday evening to put on the initiatory work.

No. 10639—Exp. Jan. 30
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate
Anna M. Olman, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that four month from the 7th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 6th day of May, A. D. 1926 and that said claims will be heard by said court on
Tuesday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Jan. 6, A. D. 1926.
JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

No. 10659—Exp. Jan. 30
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate
Katherine Zonnebelt, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 7th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 7th day of May, A. D. 1926 and that said claims will be heard by said court on
Tuesday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Jan 7, A. D. 1926.
JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

No. 10549—Exp. Jan. 30
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate
Henritta Brinks, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 9th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 9th day of May, A. D. 1926 and that said claims will be heard by said court on
Tuesday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Jan. 9, A. D. 1926
JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

No. 10613—Exp. Jan. 30
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate
Gerrit Bartles, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 11th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926 and that said claims will be heard by said court on
Tuesday the 18th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Jan. 11, A. D. 1926.
JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

No. 10622—Exp. Jan. 30
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate court for the County of Ottawa.
In the matter of the estate
William F. Eberle, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 11th of January A. D. 1926, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court of examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on or before the 11th day of May, A. D. 1926 and that said claims will be heard by said court on
Tuesday, the 18th day of May, A. D. 1926, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated Jan. 11, A. D. 1926.
JAMES J. DANHOF,
Judge of Probate.

Exp. Feb. 20
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—In Chancery
Almira Markham,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Samuel Markham,
Defendant
Suit pending in said court at the city of Grand Haven in said county this 7th day of January, 1926.
Present, Hon. Orien S. Cross, Circuit Judge.
In this case it apeparing by affidavit on file that the defendant is not a resident of the state of Michigan it is therefore ordered that he, the said defendant, appear in said case within three months from the date of this order and that a copy of this order and that a the Holland City News, a newspaper circulating in said county, for six weeks in succession.
ORIEN S. CROSS,
Circuit Judge.
Fred T. Miles,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
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